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**Emergency** 

declared in

Rebels name president

KABUL, Feb 18, (Reuter):

Afghan President Najibullah

declared a state of national emer-

gency today to defend the coun-

try against conspiracies and "armed intervention from out-

side," as the mujahedeen (holy warriors) named their president

and prime minister, who they

hope will lead an interim govern-

In Islamabad the Afghan news

agency said the supreme council

of the seven-party mujahedeen

alliance nominated moderate

Mohammad Nabi Mohammadi

as head of state and Ahmad Shah

as Prime Minister. A consul-

said the nominations of Moham-

madi and Shah were decided at a

special supreme council meeting.

The statement added: "Both

these leaders will formulate the

cabinet and present it to the con-

after the approval of the interim

Ailegations

The shura will be dissolved

sultative shura on Feb 19."

ment in Kabul.

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# iragi and Iranian officers to meet this week

BAGHDAD, Feb 18, (AP): Iraqi and Iranian officers will meet on the border between the two countries on Wednesday to co-ordinate efforts to stabilise the Gulf war ceasefire, the United Nations observer group announced today.

A statement issued by the UN ceasefire monitoring group said the meeting will be held on the ceasefire line near the Iraqi town of Khanaqin and the Iranian city of Oasr-e-Shirin. UN officials last week said

that each country will be represented by 10 officers who will work with their respective government and the UN observers to resolve problems in carrying out the ceasefire agreement.

#### Refused

The officials refused to disclose the ranks of the participat-

ing officers.
The UN announcement said the mixed military group will be headed by the chief of the United Nations Iran-Iraq Military Observer Group, Yugoslav Maj. Gen. Slavko Jovic.

Iraqi Foreign Minister Tareq Aziz told a news conference today that the military group will work on purely technical mat-

A Red Cross official said that it is preparing to repatriate the Iraqi POWs this week, although no date for their release has been

### Study on health security scheme

A COMMITTEE has been formed to study a draft law for the establishment of a public health security authority. The committee, consisting of senior Health Ministry officials, will discuss the possibility of implementing the health security scheme.

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# آج کے ار دو صفحات میں

ا مرائیلی جارحیت بند کرائی جائے 'اعلیٰ حضرت امیر افغانستان میں نگامی حالت ن شوری نے صدر اور وزیر رون سے سیر وروزیر اعظم نامزد کر دیئے امریکہ نے اسرائیل مخالف قرار دا دویؤ کر دی سلمان رشدی نے معانی ۱۲ مرافراد کوہلاک کر دیا

# WEATHER

CLOUDY weather with light to

moderate south-easterly wind and a chance for some rain. State of sea: rough High water: 12.00 pm Low water: 6.00 am, 6.00 pm Summise: 6.25 am Sunset: 5.40 pm Maximum temperatures recorded: Kuwait: 18°C 64°F Ahmadi: 15°C 59°F Failaka: 15°C 59°F Minimum temperatures recorded: Kuwait: 5°C 41°F Ahmadi: 8°C 46°F Failaka: 9°C 48°F Maximum temperat Kuwait: 19°C 66°F Ahmadi: 17°C 63°F Failaka: 16°C 61°F

Maximum humidity recorded:

Kuwait: 78 per cent Ahmadi: 89 per cent Failaka: 90 per cent

# Call to defend human rights in occupied areas

# Stop Israeli killings of Palestinians: Amir Afghanistan



HH the Amir at the conference. (Photo by Javed Basra)

UNITED NATIONS, Feb 18.

(Reuter): The United States yes-

terday veroed a Security Council

resolution strongly deploring Israel's actions in the occupied

Palestinians have been killed in a

The vote on the resolution was

It was the first US veto since

the Bush administration took

office a month ago.
The US vetoed another resolu-

tion critical of Israeli actions in

the occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip in February last year.

strongly deplored Israel's "per-

sistent policies and practices

against the Palestinian people in

Violation

It referred especially to the

"violation of human rights, and

in particular the opening of fire

that has resulted in injuries and

deaths of Palestinian civilians,

Voting for the resolution were:

Algeria, Brazil, Britain, Canada,

China, Colombia, Ethiopia, Fin-

land, France, Malaysia, Nepal.

Senegal, Soviet Union and

Yugoslavia. The US was the only

one to vote against the resolu-

Explaining the US veto, Ambassador Herbert Okun said

his country continued to urge

restraint on all sides and had

made clear to Israel its opposi-

tion to certain practices, such as

the expulsion of Palestinian

residents, collective punishment

and the use of live fire in non-life-

flawed, adding: "in severely

criticising Israeli policies and

practices, it does not take into

sufficient account the context in which they occur or the excesses

Strongly

territories was clearly unaccept-

able and the situation was

inherently unstable and must be

addressed. It could only be

resolved in the context of an

overall negotiated settlement of

the Arab-Israel dispute, Okun

The vetoed resolution would

have strongly deplored the "con-

LONDON, Feb 18, (AP): Chris-

tie's Auction House held its first

sale of Spanish paintings yester-

day, and a light-hearted "picture

within a picture" fetched the

highest individual price of

19th and 20th centuries reaped a

total of £1.187 million (\$2.1

million), with prices "well

beyond expectations," said a

The 170 paintings from the

Spanish art sale

£132,000 (\$233,000).

Christie's statement.

The status quo in the

But he said the resolution was

threatening situations.

of the other side."

stated.

including children.

the Palestinian territories"

occupied by Israel since 1967.

The latest draft would have

14 in favour and one against,

14-month-old uprising.

with no abstentions.

**US vetoes draft** 

deploring Israel

tinuing disregard by Israel" of

past council resolutions and

called on it to comply with the

fourth Geneva Convention on

the protection of civilians in time

The resolution would also

have called for the exercise of

maximum restraint and affirmed

the urgent need to achieve, under

UN auspices, a comprehensive,

just and lasting settlement of the

Secretary-General Javier

Perez de Cuellar would have

been asked to follow the situa-

tion by all means available to

Council sources said the

United States had proposed an alternative text including a call

for restraint by all parties and

omitting any reference to a UN-

sponsored peace conference. But

this was unacceptable to most

The debate began last Friday

other members and was not for-

at the request of the observer

delegation of Palestine, as the

mission of the PLO is called, foll-

owing the declaration last

November of a Palestinian state.

debate criticised Israel for resort-

ing to harsh measures in putting

down the Palestinian uprising, or

intifada, that began in December

Protect

the Palestinians and the conven-

ing of a Middle East peace con-

ference under UN auspices and

with full participation by the

Speaking after the vote, Nas-

ser Al Kidwa, the alternative

representative of Palestine, said

he could not understand the US

attitude in the council and cited a

recent State Department report

critical of Israel's handling of the

They urged action to protect

Virtually all speakers in the

mally submitted.

Middle East conflict.

KUWAIT, Feb 18, (Agencies): HH the Amir said today that countries which claim to be dedicated to human rights should prove it by intervening to stop Israeli killings of Palestinians.

He told the 18th Arab Engineering Conference a 14-month uprising in Israeli occupied territories had boosted support for Palestinians world-wide.

#### Appealed

But the Amir added: "We want to turn this appreciation into positive effort by states which call for defending human rights to stop this aggression and plunder and prove clearly they are with human rights and against tyranny.

The Amir said the uprising, which has paved the way for the declaration of the independent

meet Lebanese

KUWAIT, Feb 18, (Agencies):

Arab League mediators will meet

Lebanese religious leaders in

Kuwait on Monday as part of

their efforts to end Lebanon's

constitutional crisis, Deputy

Premier and Foreign Minister

Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmed said

In Tunis, a league spokesman

said the mission would meet

leaders of Lebanese political parties and militias before the end of

The mission, chaired by

Sheikh Sabah, conferred on Jan

31 and Feb 1 with the leaders of

Lebanon's two rival govern-ments, the Christian Michel

Aoun and the Sunni Muslim

Sheikh Sabah said at the time

that differences between the

government leaders persisted

and his mission had decided to

Lebanon has had two govern-

ments, a powerless Parliament and no president since Septem-

ber when a boycott by Christian

deputies foiled attempts to elect a

Syrian-supported successor to

outgoing President Amin

Gemayel.
The Arab League mediators
will meet Sheikh Hassan Khaled.

the Sunni Muslim mufti; Sheikh

Mursel Nassr of the Druze:

Sheikh Mohammed Medhi

Shamseddine, vice-president of

the Higher Shiite Council; the Maronite patriarch Butros Sfeir;

the Greek Orthodox patriarch

Agnatius Hazim and the Roman

Catholic patriarch, Maximus

SCHEVENINGEN, Holland,

Feb 18, (UPI): A British tanker

collided today with a Danish

trawler in gale force winds in the

English Channel, Holland's

Tanker collision

Coast Guard said.

Hakim.

**Mediators to** 

religious

leaders

March.

Selim Al Hoss.

consult other groups.

Palestinian state, is now in desperate need of deeds, not words to liberate the occupied territories.

He appealed for the protection of Arab and Islamic heritage in historic Palestine, saying it was threatened by Israeli sabotage. Turning to the Iraq-Iran war,

the Amir called for a speedy implementation of UN Resolution 598 in full. Hoping for peace in Afghanistan, he called on the Afghan people to be on guard against their enemies who are trying to spread hatred among their ranks.

#### Welcomed

The Amir also hoped that the efforts being exerted to end the Lebanese crisis will be successful.

The Amir welcomed the establishment of the Arab Cooperation Council and the Arab Maghreb Union, and said these are two great achievements in the field of regional Arab co-operation, spearheaded by the GCC.

Turning to the issues which the conference will discuss, the Amir told the engineers modern buildings threatened historic sites in Arab capitals.

He added: "Arab engineering planning, is not only able to combine originality, modernity and future outlook, but also capable to unite comprehensive Arab and local schemes.

The Amir called on the conference to strengthen its ues with the counterparts in the Organisation of Islamic Conference and expressed belief that such co-operation "would enrich our engineering experiences and bring good to all.

The Kuwaiti Engineering Society (KES) has thanked the Amir for inaugurating the con-

# **Shevardnadze meets Syrian President**

# bury the hatchet

DAMASCUS, Feb 18, (AP): President Hasez Al Assad met today with Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze, and Arab media reported that his visit might lead to a reconciliation between Assad and PLO leader Yasser Arafat.

The Arabic newspaper Al Hayat said that Arafat might visit Damascus after Soviet mediation made the step possi-

The London-based Lebanese daily quoted the sources as saying Arafat's visit was meant to coincide the visit of Shevardnadze, who arrived in the Syrian capital yesterday for two days of

The sources said Arafat put forward a number of preconditions to the Soviet side, one of which was the release of Palestinian prisoners Syria promised to free last year.

Arafat has been at odds with Assad since 1983, when he started openly backing Palestinian groups trying to unseat Arafat from his chairmanship of the

# **Proposal**

"We shall discuss urgent

Shevardnadze said Syria has a

# **Arafat, Assad might**

talks.

Shevardnadze said he is carrying a new proposal for Middle East peace. Details of the proposal Shevardnadze is carrymg have not been reseased, but Middle East observers are predicting it will be the first have not been released, but major, high-ranking Soviet attempt in years to involve itself in finding a solution to the Arab-Israeli dispute.

bilateral issues, but the basic topic will be the situation in the Middle East and the ways leading to solutions to regional conflicts," Shevardnadze declared in an arrival statement vesterday.

"credible" role in solving the

Speaking three days after the withdrawal of the last Soviet troops, Najibullah said Westernbacked rebels, Pakistan and the United States had stepped their attempts to undermine his government. He reiterated allegations that Pakistan intended to annex

Afghanistan.

Middle East crisis and described the present circumstances as "more suitable than before" for

Israeli conflict. His visit comes just days after the Soviet withdrawal from Afghanistan after keeping troops there for more than nine years. Their battle against Muslim rebels was not popular

among Arabs. "The opportunities to solve this conflict are increasing," the Soviet official said.

After two days of talks with Syrian leaders including Assad, Shevardnadze is scheduled to visit Amman, Cairo, Baghdad and Tehran. He is due back in Moscow Feb 27.

Shevardnadze's visit will be the first ever by a Soviet foreign minister to Jordan, which has doubled its efforts lately to establish closer relations with the Soviet Union while maintaining its pro-Western policies.

finding a solution to the Arab-

ing bilateral ties.

visit would also have a broader

impact. see "a grouping of all the Gulf

littoral states, to administer Gulf affairs and safeguard its security.

But officials in the GCC capitals have pointed out that

UN Security Council Resolution 598 — the basis for UN-sponsored peace talks between Iran and Iraq — also provides for regional security arrangements.

Bahrain's relations with Iran have been strained since an attempted coup in Bahrain in 1981 was blamed on Iran. The Iranian menace to neigh-

bouring Gulf countries and their shipping during the war also kept tensions high, but relations have gradually improved since the

Norakian said: "Iranian affairs.

He added that Iranian parliamentary Speaker Hashemi Rafsanjani repeatedly said that the Islamic constitution stipulates good neighbourliness and we see that this is an Islamic obligation dictated by our

# 'Rushdie's apology enough to warrant pardon'

LONDON, Feb 18, (Agencies): Author Salman Rushdie, facing an Iranian bounty for his death, apologised to Muslims worldwide today for the distress caused by publication of his novel The Satanic Verses.

Iran's official news agency IRNA, in an abrupt reversal of its position, said late tonight that Rushdie had earned a pardon with his statement expressing regret for distress caused to

Muslims by 'The Satanic Verses.' "The statement, though far too short of a repentance, is generally seen as sufficient enough to warrant his pardon by the masses in Iran and elsewhere in the world," IRNA said.

In a statement issued by his agent, Rushdie said: "I profoundly regret the distress that publication has occasioned to sincere followers of Islam."

"Living as we do in a world of

many faiths this experience has served to remind us that we must all be conscious of the sensibilities of others," the brief statement said. It also was issued to Iran's

Islamic Republic News Agency (IRNA), and a story was sent to Tehran, a spokesman for the agency said.

He and his wife have been in hiding, reportedly protected by armed guards, since Iranian leader Ayatollah Khomeini ordered his death on Tuesday.

He apologised a day after Iran's President, Ali Khamenei. said the Indian-born Briton could save his life by admitting he blundered.

The Islamic Society for the Promotion of Religious Tolerance said in a statement: "We very much welcome Mr Rushdie's apology and hope that it will now pave the way out of this unfortunate crisis."

A prominent Muslim condemned the Iranian campaign against the author, which began with Khomeini's demand that: zealous Muslims kill Rushdie because The Satanic Verses blasphemed Islam.

The head of the Shiite Muslim community in Europe on Friday urged book companies not to publish the novel, but he denounced Khomeini's death call.

#### Distress The Jeddah-based Organisa-

tion of Islamic Conference today urged its 46 member states to boycott companies involved in publishing The Satanic Verses.

Viking, the book's publishers in Britain and the United States. said earlier this week that it and the author "very much regret the distress the book has caused." But Viking did not apologise for

publishing the book.

Before today's statement, Rushdie had said the novel was fictional and not blasphemous. Khomeini's order caused Britain to shelve plans to expand its embassy staff in Tehran. In December, Britain reopened its embassy in Tehran after an eight-

year closure. France announced today that its ambassador to Iran, scheduled to return to Tehran on Sunday, would be delaying his departure "for consultations."

The statement did not elaborate. West Germany withdrew its envoy from Tehran this week and the Netherlands last week cancelled a planned state visit to

Iran.
After Khomeini also ordered the death of publishers of the novel, book companies in France, West Germany, Greece (Continued on Page 2) defend the political independence, national sovereignty and territorial integrity of Afghanis-

tan," he added. Under the constitution the President can impose a state of emergency for three months. Any extension needs the backing of a Loya Jirga, a traditional assembly of tribal elders. Suspension

of Afghanistan is not to allow the

enemies to endanger the lives of

Najibullah said.

The emergency was imposed to repulse the interventions from outside the country and

the people of Afghanistan,

tative council, or shura, immediately approved both nominations without an objec-The constitution, which dates from December 1987, says a state tion, it said. Iran-based Shiite of emergency includes the suspension of freedom of expression rebel groups did not attend the session of the shura. and the rights of assembly, peti-Shura spokesman Abdurrab tion, inviolability of homes and privacy of correspondence. Rasul Sayyaf, in a statement,

The mujahedeen rebels and their Western backers say the ruling People's Democratic Party of Afghanistan is running the country as a one-party state and the constitution and National Assembly are a democratic facade.

A Foreign Ministry spokes-man told reporters that attempts by rebels to frighten people in Kabul by circulating secret "night letters" warning of rocket attacks had contributed to the decision to impose the emer-

The security forces in the last few days had captured large quantities of rockets and some -guerrillas, near the capital, preparing for such an attack, he

# **Bahraini minister to visit Tehran**

# Iran wants a grouping of all Gulf states

MANAMA, Feb 18, (AP): Bahrain Foreign Minister Mohammed Bin Mubarak is to visit Iran shortly, the Arabic-language Bahrain weekly Al Adwaa reported

The weekly quoted Iranian Charge d'Affaires Hussein Norakian as saying the visit should bring "constructive and beneficial steps" toward boost-

Since Bahrain holds the rotating presidency of the GCC, the Norakian said Iran hopes to

Iran's call for a joint security pact with the GCC states has been outstanding since a United Nations-sponsored ceasefire halted its eight-year with Iraq last

officials have repeatedly affirmed the necessity of fostering bonds between Iran and the Gull littoral states, and the impor-tance of mutual respect and noninterference in each other's

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# **ANC** appeals for unity to solve Winnie row

LUSAKA, Feb 18, (Reuter): The African National Congress (ANC) today said black militant Winnie Mandela had made mistakes but urged South African anti-apartheid groups not to shun her.

In its first official reaction to the controversy, the guerrilla group accused the South African government of infiltrating agents provacateurs among her bodyguards who are accused of brutality and murder.

"The African National Congress calls on our people to close ranks," the ANC's national executive said in a statement released from its headquarters in Lusaka after a hectic, two-day meeting chaired by President Oliver Tambo.

The statement balanced criticism of Winnie, wife of jailed ANC leader Nelson Mandela, with appeals to anti-apartheid groups not to ostracise her.

### Denounced

Winnie was publicly denounced on Thursday by anti-apartheid groups which accused her of dragging the family name into

The groups have linked her bodyguards, members of the socalled Mandela United Football Club, with the disappearance and death in January of teen-age activist "Stompie" Moeketsi Scipei. Police are also investigating the alleged murderous behaviour of the club members.

The ANC leaders said Winnie had ignored their advice to disband the club and "we consider it necessary to express our reservations about Winnie Mandela's judgement in relation to the Mandela football club.

It condemned the "unbecoming activities" of the club's members and said Winnie had been "left open and vulnerable to committing mistakes which the enemy exploited."

"We have every reason to believe that the club was infiltrated by the enemy and that most of its activities were guided by the hand of the enemy," the statement added.

### **Hotel fire**

DETROIT, Feb 18, (AP): A four-alarm fire broke out early yesterday in a downtown hotel. killing at least four people and forcing some residents to slide down makeshift ropes of blankets and sheets in freezing weather, officials said.

# **Baker winds up tour of NATO nations**

# Turkey wants joint approach on nuclear issue

ANKARA, Feb 18, (Agencies): Turkey will conform with NATO policy in talks on whether to undate nuclear weapons on its territory, Defence Minister Ercan Vuralhan said.

"In my opinion nuclear modernisation is reality....Turkey is one of the countries that will be taken into consideration as far as any modernisation is concerned. Vuralhan said.

"We are saying in general, in principle we do not want to increase the number of nuclear systems in our territory. We again say this is a matter of NATO and it must be dealt with at NATO level," he told Reuters in an interview.

The question of modernising short-range nuclear missiles dominated this week's tour of 15 members of the North Atlantic Treaty Organisation by US

Greek government has moved to

curb independent radio stations

but the popular channels which

love to chronicle the nation's

scandals are proving tough to

official warnings, authorities this

week banned mobile radio trans-

mitters used for on-the-scene

reports, limited live interviews to

station studios and cut some

Independent stations in the

Athens area united to fight the

curbs, saying they were an

attempt to control news coverage

Trial

elections will be the biggest trial

for free radios," Independent

Athens Radio director Yannis

OCCUPIED JERUSALEM,

Feb 18, (Reuter): A Jewish man

was stabbed to death near

Jerusalem's old city today in an

attack which police blamed on

failed to revive the man after he was stabbed in the chest near

Zion gate. "They were pumping

his heart but gave up and covered

him in plastic," a photographer

Witnesses said paramedics

Palestinian nationalists.

"The days that are left until the

ahead of elections in June.

After months of arguing and

control.

phone lines.

Secretary of State James Baker. The issue is delicate in Turkey. as in other NATO countries such as West Germany, at a time when Ankara is improving ties with its

Soviet neighbour. West German Chancellor Helmut Kohl last week demanded delays in the long-planned modernisation programme pen-ding further East-West arms

Vuralhan, whose country guards one-third of NATO's border with Warsaw Pact countries, said modernisation had to be unanimous.

"If that phase is reached

Turkey will evaluate her own stand," he said. "As with other countries, Turkey will of course appear

Greece moves to curb private radio

ference. His station was a driving

Athens Mayor Miltiades

Evert, a prominent figure in the

opposition New Democray

Party, announced he was suing

the state telecommunications

legalised the stations in mid-

1987, allowing both private and

municipal channels to compete

for the first time with the state's

monopoly on broadcast enter-

Since then the independent

stations have taken a whopping

80 per cent of the listener market

in some urban areas with up-beat

programmes catering to local

Perhaps more disturbing to

officials has been the fierce com-

Jewish man stabbed to death in East Jerusalem

Police closed off entrances to

the old city, in Arab East

Jerusalem, and said they had

rounded up more than 50 Arab

Jerusalem Mayor Teddy

Koliek rushed to the scene after

the stabbing, the first such attack

in the old city since a 16-year-old

Jewish seminary student was

stabbed and wounded by Pales-

The socialist government

agency over the curbs.

tainment and news.

at the scene said.

suspects.

force in the fight for "free radio."

Independent stations in Athens yow to resist

again in a constructive role (in talks). We would not say flatly we would reject anything, any kind of modernisation.

Baker arrived home last night after concluding a tour of NATO nations and saying he expects the issue of modernising short-range nuclear missiles in Europe to be successfully resolved in the next

Baker, tired but upbeat after the six-day tour, discussed a host of issues with European officials, including arms and trade, the Soviet withdrawal from Afghanistan, and the situation in the Middle East and Central America.

three months.

### Portrayed

During a stopover earlier Friday in Ireland, Baker told reporters the issue of modernizing short-range nuclear missiles based in Europe has not divided the NATO alliance nearly as much as portrayed in the press, which reported reserve in West Germany because of its strong anti-nuclear lobby and fears that

first with the news, and par-

ticularly their appetite for fresh details on scandals battering the

is motivated by a political ven-detta against the "free radio" sta-

tions, which are often run by

political interests opposed to the

Chaos

Sotiris Kostopoulos said it was

concerned only about growing

chaos on air waves as stations

overstepped the limits of their

run by the city of Athens, was

seriously disturbing transmis-

sions by the Avriani channel and

called on those violating rules to

At least 390 Arabs and 15 Jews

have been killed in a 14-month-

old Palestinian uprising against Israel's occupation of the West

A Paletinian teenager woun-

ded earlier this week in a clash

with Israeli troops in the

occupied Gaza Strip died in hos-

pital today, an Army spokesman

He noted that Athens Radio,

state-issued licences.

end their air piracy.

tinians there in May.

Bank and Gaza Strip.

Government spokesman

socialists.

The government denies that it

government since October.

it could find itself at the centre of an East-West conflict if war broke out.

Instead, he said, he believes the issue will be settled in the next three months before a NATO summit meeting tentatively scheduled for the last two weeks of May.

Baker said solution to the dispute will include what has been called "a comprehensive concept" - a balance between modernization of NATO's deterrence linked to an approach to the Soviets for further arms control.

Outlining his overall impression of his first trip as secretary of state to Europe, whose leaders are debating the fast-moving diplomacy and strategy of Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev, Baker said he feels the NATO alliance remains unified and in favour of strong US leadership.

MIAMI, Feb 18, (Reuter): The wife and daughter of deposed Paraguayan dictator Alfredo Stroessner arrived here yesterplanning to set up permanent

Stroessner's wife, Ligia Mora, her daughter Graciela and Graciela's second husband, Spaniard Manuel Gonzalez Llama, held valid six-month tourist visas and made no request for political asylum, according to Richard Smith, deputy director of the US Immigration and Naturalisation Service (INS)

was ousted in a bloody coup on Feb 3 in which general Andres Rodriguez took power. Stroessner had ruled for 34 years. The three family members left

port early yesterday.

Secretary Conrado Pappalardo said in Asuncion: "Nobody bothered them, they never had any problems here in Paraguay, nor were they detained."

younger son Alfredo, married to Rodriguez's daughter Marta, stayed in Asuncion. His elder son Gustavo is with the ex-dictator in

# Impression

Stroessner on Thursday was quoted as saying he would return to Paraguay after presidential elections which Rodriguez has

guards and nobody took particular notice of their departure.

Humberto Dominguez Dibb, was put under house arrest in

# Stroessner's wife and daughter arrive in US

day amid speculation they were residence in Miami.

office here.

Smith said the US State Department notified immigration officials of the visit but did not reveal any further details of their travel plans. He said it was not known whether they planned to set up residence in Miami but that they were free to travel to any part of the United States.

Stroessner, in exile in Brazil,

Asuncion on Thursday night on a regular Lineas Aereas Paraguayas (LAP) flightand landed at Miami international air-

Paraguayan presidential

Pappalardo said Stroessner's

set for May 1.

A witness to the departure of Stroessner's relatives at the airport outside Asuncion said: "They had a lot of luggage and I got the impression they were going to Miami to stay." He said they had no security

Meanwhile, a former relative of Stroessner, newspaper editor

The administration included one woman. The size of the cabinet came as a surprise, with all newspapers reporting that it would contain only 15 members. Political sources said Premadasa at the last minute buckled under pressure from within his party to expand the number of posts - contain

Turnley, a 31-year-old Paris-based photographer for the Black Star agency, shot the pic-ture for the Detroit Free Press.

A nine-member jury chose his

picture from more than 10,000

submitted by 1,287 photogra-phers from all over the world.

In selecting was government.

Premadasa dropped 12 perception of the previous administration and inducted nine new ministers.

This photo was chosen the best picture of the 32nd World Press

Photo contest in Amsterdam. The photo was entitled 'Armenia

American wins press photo award

Premadasa swears in

21-member cabinet

Earthquake Funeral.' (Reuter wirephoto)

AMSTERDAM, Feb 18,

(Reuter): American photogra-

pher David Turnley yesterday

won the World Press Photo of the

year 1988 award with his picture

of a man grieving over a coffin

following December's earth-

COLOMBO, Feb 18, (Agen-

cies): President Ranasinghe

Premadasa today swore in a 21-

member cabinet, keeping the

defence post for himself, tapping

finance and foreign ministers

with no experience and demoting

In addition Premadasa left.

the decision on naming a prime

parliamentary leader of the rul-

ing United National Party

Premadasa announced his

cabinet three days after the UNP

won an absolute majority in elec-

tions for the 225-seat Parliament,

retaining an 11-year lock on

power in the island nation riven

by separate insurgencies by rebels of the ethnic Tamil min-

ority and the Sinalese majority. The UNP won 125 seats.

The President, who succeeded Junius Jayewardene on Jan 2,

presided over a swearing-in ceremony for the cabinet at his

official residence in central

Retained

except Trade and Shipping Mini-

ster A.R.M. Mansoor and A.C.

Shahul Hameed, the higher

education and science and tech-

nology minister, who are

Muslims, and S. Thondaman, a

Hindu Tamil of Indian descent

who retained the Rural Indus-

tries Ministry and was also given

the textile portfolio.

All the members are Sinhalese

Colombo.

minister, effectively

the two most powerful holdovers

from the previous government.

quake in Armenia.

He retained for himself the defence and policy planning and implementation portfolios and also took over a newly create Ministry for Buddhist Affairs. The country's 11 million majority Sinhalese are Buddh-

# Assigned

Premadasa named as Foreign Minister Ranjan Wijeratne, the UNP general secretary and a former tea planter who served as chairman of the state-run Plantations Corporation. Wijeratne who has never held any diplomatic office, replaced

The former minister for posts and telecommunications, D.B. Wijetunge, was assigned the finance portfolio, an area in which he has had no experience.

Those members of Jayewardene's government who retained cabinet positions were all demoted to minor ministries, including the two most powerful holdovers, Lalith Athulath-mudali and Gamini Desana-

Desanayake, who was lands minister and considered close to India, was given the portfolio for plantation industries.

# North trial set to begin next Tuesday WASHINGTON, Feb 18

(Reuter): After months of delay and legal wrangling, the trial of former White House aide Oliver North in the Iran-Contra case is set to start next Tuesday.

"The jury will be sworn in and the trial will start at 9:30 am Tuesday morning, February 21," a US district court official announced yesterday afternoon. The trial is expected to last

several months. Although the most serious conspiracy charges against him have been dropped. North faces 12 criminal charges including lying to Congress, shredding secret documents and using government money for himself in a plan to divert funds from US arms sales to Iran to the Nicaraguan Contras.

North admitted to several of the charges at congressional hearings in 1987, but none of that testimony can be used againsthim in the trial. He is the first of four defendants, including former National Security Adviser John Poindexter, to stand trial in the case.

Guilty

North has pleaded not guilty to the criminal charges and said be was following orders from former President Reagan and other top administration officials.

The delays were caused by arguments between independent counsel Lawrence Walsh, attorneys for North, a former Marine Corps officer, and the Justice Department over how to protect evidence that might threaten national security if made public.

Under an agreement reached on Thursday with Walsh, Attor-ney-General Dick Thornburgh will have the right to withhold information that he believes could damage national security if it was used in a public trial. 🔪 Judge Gerhard Gesell, who

approved the agreement, then must decide whether to dismiss some or all of the charges if evidence necessary to the defence is blocked.

North's attorneys attacked the agreement and said he could not get a fair trial without a full admission by the prosecution of Reagan administration actions.

The admission is a statement of the facts in the trial which do not have to be proven by evidence amptentimonye Gesell issued and order resterday pennying the wording of the 44w pennying the trial be made public when the trial

### **Detention without** charge

JOHANNESBURG, Feb 18, (AP): Minister of Law and Order Adriaan Vlok said there were at least 884 people in detention without charge as of last month and signed eight release orders yesterday, as most hunger-striking detainees resumed eating.

Vlok has never given current figures for the number of people in detention at any time since the national emergency began on June 12, 1986, but monitoring groups say more than 30,000 have been held for varying periods, some for the entire two years and eight months.

# Azores crash probe

NEW YORK, Feb 18. (AP): The investigation into the crash of an American-operated jet in the Azores last week is focussing on errors by pilots and flight controllers, and bad radio communications, a newspaper reported

The New York Times reported that tape recordings between the pilots and flight controllers indicate the pilots believed they had been cleared to descend to 2,000 feet (610 metres) when the controllers had said 3,000 feet (915 metres).

In addition, the controllers apparently gave the crew an incorrect barometric setting for the jet's altimeter. The newspaper cited unidentified informants who said the altimetre error would have accounted for an additional 300-foot (91metre) error .

# Rushdie

# (Continued from Page 1)

and Turkey decided not to publish it. Others in Finland, Norway and Italy were unswayed.

Major US booksellers removed the novel from their shelves, and Canada halted imports. The book has been officially banned in Iran, India, Pakistan. Bangladesh, Egypt and South Africa. The governments of West Ger-

many. Spain, Britain and the United States condemned the Iranian campaign. The Iranian envoy to London

said Khomeini's pronouncement of a death sentence against Rushdie was a religious statement that had been misinterpreted.

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# Floods in Soviet man-made sea threaten half a million people

MOSCOW, Feb 18, (Reuter): Flooding caused by a man-made sea in southern Russia has ruined 350,000 hectares (870,000 acres) of prime agricultural land and threatens more than half a million people's homes, the newspaper Izvestia said yesterday: Izvestia blamed experts at the

Water Resources Ministry for allowing the water level in the Kuban Sea to rise, unmonitored, far higher than it should done. It said draining only part of the land would cost one billion roubles (\$1.6 billion).

"In total 600-700,000 people are at risk," Izvestia said, describing the consequences of the latest in a series of man-made. ecological disasters involving Soviet seas, lakes and rivers. Suffering

"One hundred and thirty settlements are suffering, the foun-dations of 27,000 blocks of flats have been flooded and 900 of them have collapsed," it added. "One hundred and fifty km (90 miles) of roads and nine bridges' are out of action."

local capital, was flooded and water had also reached other parts of the city, it said. Rural areas are suffering

The airport in Krasnodar, the

colossal damage. More than 350,000 hectares of arable land on state and collective farms are submerged and crops have been washed away from 108,000 hectares (270,000 acres) of them. Izvestia said the Kuban Sea,

built around 20 years ago near the Black Sea in the south of the Russian federation, the largest Soviet republic, had been allowed to fill up with more water than foreseen in the original project. Merging

The extra water in the sea was merging with underground water, forcing it upwards and so causing floods, Izvestia said.

"It was only at a recent emergency meeting that they found that when drawing up plans for the Kuban 'monster' they either 'forgot' to take into consideration the whole drainage complex which always accompanies irrigation projects or decided to save money on it." Izvestia said.

"For all these years the 'monster' was not being seriously watched and, in order to do that, it is necessary to set up urgently a hydro-irrigation scientific research body.

Nevertheless, Izvestia said it would take many years and enor-

mous amounts of money to repair the damage done. "They plan ... to drain only 140,000 hectares (350,000 acres)

out of more than 300,000 (740,000) by the year 2000," Izvestia said. "It will cost a minimum of one billion roubles (\$1.6 billion). While the Kuban Sea is overfl-

owing, there is concern that irrigation projects and excessive industrial use have led to the Aral Sea in Soviet Central Asia losing about one third of its water in the last 25 years. Protection

Fyodor Morgun, head of the Soviet Union's State Environmental Protection Committee, has called it "a region of economic catastrophe. Besides reports of severe pollu-

tion in many other Soviet rivers and lakes, controversy has also continued over a vast irrigation scheme, finally abandoned in 1986, to divert Siberian and Russian rivers southward. Izvestia said earlier this month

that officials pressed on with the plan to build the Volga-Chograi canal, a part of the project, for five years despite warnings that it would be disastrous for the environment.

# Iran may pardon dissidents abroad

NICOSIA, Feb 18, (AP): The Iranian government has prepared a plan to grant a general amnesty to encourage the nearly four million Iranian exiles living abroad to return home, Iranian Prime Minister Hussein Musavi was quoted as saying.

The official Iranian news agency, monitored in Nicosia, said Musavi, speaking in the western Iranian city of Tabriz upon his return from the three-day visit to Turkey said the plan would be submitted soon for approval to Ayatollah Khomeini.

Details of the proposed plan, which Musavi first announced while visiting Turkey, were not

Musavi said in Ankara that the government will provide special facilities for the Iranians abroad to return home. He called on the self-exiled Iranians to preserve their links with the homeland.

Last week, Khomeini's successor-elect Ayatollah Hussein Ali Montazeri said "firm steps" should be taken to attract the lranians 'who long to come to Iran but are scared.

Musavi's talks with Turkish Prime Minister Turgut Ozal focused on political and economic issues, including an Iran-Turkey gas trunkline project for the transfer of Iranian natural gas to Europe via Turkey, IRNA

The agency said Musavi denied reports that Iran was holding talks via Turkey with the United States, adding that "no discussion was even held with Turkish officials in this regard."

Some of the exiles, concentrated mostly in Turkey, Pakistan, the United States, Britain and France, fled to avoid political persecution.

Prosecutors today arrested an

executive of an information

services conglomerate in the

widening stock-trading scandal-

that has tarnished Prime Mini-ster Takeshita's administration.~

tody of the Tokyo district public prosecutors office on suspicion

of violating the security and

Ono allegedly sold unlisted shares of his company's real estate subsidiary, Recruit-Cos-mos, between 1984 and 1986, a

spokesman for the Justice Minis-

try said. One reportedly sold

some 640,000 shares to 79 people

without notifying the Finance

He was the eighth suspect this

week to be arrested in the widen-

ing stock scandal. Earlier,

prosecutors seized Hiromasa

Ezoe, former chairman of

Recruit and the central figure in

the scandal involving influence-

pedaling through bribes and bar-

gain sales of unlisted stocks.

The Recruit scandal involves

several executives and sub-

sidiaries of the information

services company who allegedly

exchange law.

Ministry.

One more held in

Recruit scandal

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Libyan leader Musmmar Khaddafi expresses his joy at the successful end of the Maghreb union summit in Marrakesh, Morocco,

### Truce fails to defuse tension in Beirut

# Aoun warns of final showdown

BEIRUT, Feb 18, (Reuter): Lebanon's Christian Army commander warned a rival militia today of crushing military action unless it quickly yielded to his

demands. "Either our proposals are carried out quickly and peacefully within a certain deadline or there will be a final and decisive showdown," Major-General Michel Aoun told Beirut's leftist As-Safir

daily.

His blunt warning echoed comments by political sources that a church-mediated truce between Aoun's men and their fellow-Christians in the Lebanese Forces (LF) militia was at best precarious.

The truce took effect yesterday afternoon, ending three days of battles that killed at least 57 people and wounded 130.

The truce mediated by the

offering more than 1.5 million unlisted shares to at least 154

politicians, public officials and

mg sizable profits.

Maronite Christian church called for a durable ceasefire and withdrawal of LF militiamen from the streets, so the regular Army could exercise full auth-

ority.
But the sources noted that Aoun had demanded a good deal more of the LF, including a halt to its taxes on the 1.3 million people in the Christian enclave.

#### Closure

He also insisted the LF should close down its newly-founded National Development Council, which deals with educational, economic, industrial and agricultural projects and is seen as a challenge to government auth-

Aoun, who heads one of Lebanon's rival governments, told a news conference yesterday the LF had tried to oust him and usurp his legitimate authority.

He vowed to stop the LF from forming a state within a state.
"We have so far coexisted with an abnormal situation. This irregular situation should be

eliminated," Aoun said. The political sources said a committee of Christian deputies would meet Aoun to discuss ways of resolving his differences with the LF, headed by Samir

Geagea said last night after a four-hour meeting with the Maronite Christian patriarch and Christian members of parliament that he would withdraw his fighters from the streets of East Beirut.

He did not say if he would comply with Aoun's other demands, but has said he would only stop collecting taxes if the government agreed to finance his militia's social, educational and

# Seoul police thwart

business leaders. Most of the figures later sold the stocks, earncriminal investigations last November, the scandal caused a

public uproar and raised ethical questions about traditional money links between business and politics in this country. In addition to Ezoe, prosecutors arrested three drove off the attackers.

Recruit group executives this week along with two executives of Nippon Telegraph and Telephone Co. and a former Labour Ministry official on bribery char-

ges and violations of the security and exchange law.

The scandal has severely damaged the administration of Takeshita because of links with Recruit by several members of his cabinet. Former Finance Minister Kiichi Miyazawa, one of Takeshita's chief rivals for the Prime Minister post in 1987, resigned in December after admitting an aide bought unlisusing violence would be "sternly

dealt with from the beginning."

Contingents of riot police wearing green fatigues and black-visored helmets took positions around intersections. government buildings and foreign legations.

Security was reinforced around the US embassy. In recent months, radical students have attacked US facilities to dramatise their anti-

American campaign.

Dissidents demand an end to US influence in South Korea accusing the United States of supporting South Korea's dictatorial governments and hampering unification of the divided

Korean peninsula. The nation's largest dissident alliance has announced plans to launch a wave of protests for 10 days, starting with the rally today, which will chimax with the visit of US President George

Bush. Bush is scheduled to visit Seoul Feb 27 for talks with President Roh Tae-Woo and opposition leaders after attending the funeral of Japanese Emperor Hirohito and visiting Beijing.

#### anti-US demonstration "We are ready to block all violent protests," said a senior SEOUL, Feb 18, (AP): Scattered clashes erupted today after police officer. He said protesters police thwarted an anti-US, anti-

government rally planned by dis-sidents and radical students in downtown Seoul.

Groups of protesters armed with rocks and firebombs fought running street battles with police when thousands of not troops' sealed off a downtown park and dispersed crowds trying to gather for the rally.

At one point, several blocks away from the park, riot police charged about 200 students trying to occupy the streets. Students resisted with a barrage of firebombs, but police quickly

Similar protests took place in other locations, with police chasing slogan-chanting protesters into sidestreets and alleys. The state-run broadcasting

network, KBS, said dozens of youths hurled firebombs into a building used by US forces. It was not known immediately if the attack caused damage or injuries.

Police mobilised more than 12,000 riot troops in Seoul, vowing to crush violent protests, but dissident leaders said they would go ahead with their plans for the

### tian, had originally sought \$11 million on the grounds Hudson and his former private secretary, Mark Miller, had engaged in

outrageous conduct by concealing the fact that Hudson had After ruling Hudson's estate would have to pay Christian \$14.5 million in compensatory damages, the jury decided that Miller would have to pay \$7.25

million. The jury decided Hudson, who died in October 1985, and Miller had intentionally concealed from Christian, a former bartender, that Hudson was suffering from

AIDS while continuing to have sex with him. Christian elatedly told reporters: "I thought maybe \$1 million or \$2 million. It was just a total

shock.
"If I don't get AIDS, I still have a lot to complain about. The man may have tried to bring me down with it," said the 35-year-old, fair-haired Christian, who once

wanted to be a singer. Defence lawyers were considering appealing the decisions. Lawyers for Hudson's estate repeatedly pointed out during the trial that Christian had tested negative for AIDS.

"But the message is you've got a duty that if you have a deadly disease that can be passed on to someone else and you know it, you tell them," Christian said.

"One word from Rock and we would never have been here," he Of his memories of Hudson,

the star of such films as Pillow Talk, Lover Come Back and Magnificent Obsession, Christian said: "Now that the AIDS is over, they're good memories.

# Getting sex disease from haircuts

SEOUL, Feb 18, (Reuter): Men in the South Korean capital run more risk of contracting venereal disease at the barber's than in one of the city's brothels, according to a Health Ministry report released here.

A ministry official said the report, based on a "blood-sam-pling raid" of 150 barber shops in Seoul nightlife districts, showed more than one in five female employees were infected with syphilis, gonorrhea or some other sexually transmitted dis-

No instances of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome were recorded. Many South Korean hairdres-

sing salons provide curtained-off cubicles with low pink lighting where women provide what the government refers to as "lewd services". Others, despite the coloured pole outside, do not even make the pretence of offering haircuts.

The 22.1 per cent infection rate found in the salacious salon survey was more than twice the 9.6 per cent for working prostitutes, the Health Ministry said.

Greece today charged a Palestinian wanted by the United States with having illegal weapons in his

Two illegal "blades" were found in the cell of Mohammed Rashid during a routine check by prison guards, police said. His trial was set for Monday and, if convicted he faces a maximum of five years in prison.

# King Hassan outlines programme for change

# **ACC** will help offset threats

BAGHDAD, Feb 18, (Agencies): Iraqi Foreign Minister Tareq Aziz today said the new four-nation Arab Co-operation Council (ACC) will prove "a major element of stability" in offsetting threats from Iran and

Meanwhile King Hassan of Morocco, after signing the Maghreb union treaty, outlined a programme for drastic change in the North African region.

Aziz told a news conference in Baghdad the ACC which was formed Thursday in Baghdad will bolster Arab solidarity in facing "threats and challenges" from both Israel and Iran.

Lesson The council groups Iraq, Jordan, Egypt and North Yemen in an alliance aimed at co-ordinating economic plans, reducing tariffs and opening internal markets. But it also has a political impact.

"We hope that Iran will draw

**Hudson gets** 

LOS ANGELES, Feb 18.

(Reuter): A jury that awarded the

male lover of the late film star

Rock Hudson \$14.5 million on

Wednesday gave him another \$7.25 million dollars yesterday. Hudson's lover, Marc Chris-

Lover of

another

\$7.25m

the appropriate lessons from its defeat in the war and from the establishment of the council that it should respect its neighbours and have good relations with them," he said.

The eight-year Iran-Iraq war was halted by a United Nationssponsored ceasefire last Aug 20 but peace talks under UN auspices have failed tomake progress.

Aziz said the council is basically an economic grouping but pointed out that with a combined population of 80 million and armed forces of two million. the four nations "enjoy a nigh level of political understanding and co-operation.'

"This council has not come from nothing, it was built on profound and extensive political ro-operation," he said. Iraq and Egypt boast two of

the Arab world's strongest military forces, and already cooperate with Jordanian forces in some ways.

Aziz said the four countries will remain loyal to other Arab groupings including the charter of the 22-member Arab League

and the joint Arab Defence Pact. He stressed that these commitments would not conflict with Egypt's Camp David peace

agreements with Israel.

Aziz said he was confident the new alliance would prove successful "unlike many previous attempts" in the Arab world.

"It is a modest beginning ... but the leaders of the four countries have a clear-cut and strong determination to make it suc-

cessful," he said.

Aziz declined to answer when asked whether Iraq would veto Syrian membership of the coun-

cil, but said that could happen.

This is not a club to be open to every body ... it is natural that we will use our right to veto any membership if we find the coun-

At the end of a two-day summit with the leaders of Libya, Tunisia, Algeria and Mauri-tania, King Hassan said the next six months could see rapid progress towards dismantling

try wishing to join has no similar views with us," he said.

Syria and Iraq, ruled by rival

wings of the Baath Socialist

Party, have been at loggerheads

trols from the Atlantic to the Eastern Mediterranean. "These are the areas which are very advanced. We are all very optimistic about the speed at which we plan to move." the King, first chairman of the Arab Maghreb Union, told a news

conference at his Marrakesh

customs and immigration con-

palace, Morocco. HH the Amir of Kuwait today sent cubles of congratulations to the five leaders of the Arab

### Optimism over an agreement

# Kampuchea talks open today

JAKARTA, Feb 18, (Reuter): Two of the main players in Kampuchea's latest peace initiative arrived in the Indonesian capital today, shoring up hopes of a move forward that have dwindled in three days of stumbling warm-up meetings between officials.

Kampuchean Prime Minister Hun Sen arrived from Phnom Penh aboard a Soviet Aeroflot jet with Nguyen Co Thach, foreign minister of the Vietnamese government, Phnom Penh's main backer.

"There is a bigger chance of an agreement ... on the problem of Kampuchea," a smiling Thach told reporters at the airport.

"Coming here, I think it is 99 per cent successful," he added, noting that earlier this week in Hanoi he had put the chances of any agreement at only 50-50. Hun Sen said he and the three resistance leaders who will join him for talks tomorrow would find at least part of a settlement, if they could not find an overall

#### Pullout

He promised the Vietnamese Army protecting his government would be out of Kampuchea by the end of September in the event of a settlement.

"If they are willing to ask me about the time the Vietnamese Army will be withdrawn ... I can assure you that at midnight on Sept 30, 1989, there will be a complete pullout of Vietnamese forces," he said.

"We have already more or less come to an agreement. Together with the withdrawal of Vietnamese forces and cessation of aid (to the rebel coalition) and the prevention of the return of

Pol Pot," Hun Sen said.
Pol Pot and other Khmer
Rouge leaders are blamed by Western governments and others for the deaths of at least one million people during their fouryear rule which ended when Vietnam invaded in 1978. Hun Sen. Tach and the

Laotian Foreign Minister Phoune Siprascuth met in Phnom Penh yesterday. underlining their demand to link Vietnam's troop withdrawal to the issue of Pol Pot and the end of all foreign aid to the factions.

Kampuchean state radio. monitored in Bangkok, reiterated that troop withdrawal "had to be within the framework of a political solution."

# Iran arrests 1,740 drug addicts

NICOSIA, Feb 18, (AP): A total of 1,740 drug addicts have been arrested in five western provinces of Iran in the past 24 hours, the state-run Tehran Radio reported force leading the anti-narcotics crackdown was quoted as saying

The radio, monitored in Nicosia, said that some of those arrested were freed after signing declarations "confessing their regrets/four flanking more

It said the addicts were picked up in Khuzestan, Hamedan, tern Azarbayejan provinces.

Mazandaran, Lorestan and wes-A harsh new anti-drugs law that took effect Jan 21 imposes the death penalty for anyone

possessing small quantities of

narcotics and also gives addicts a

law took effect, the official

six-month limit to kick the habit, or face conviction. An senior member of the revolutionary committees task-

Thursday that 7,358 addicts had been registered since the law came into force. - The state-run media say there are around one million drug addicts in Iran, which has a

population of 50 million, but unofficial estimates put the figure at two million. A total of 175 drug addicts have been executed since the new

Islamic Republic News Agency

reported earlier this week.

It reported that all members of the family were also addicts and were found with 1.5 kilos (3.3

Earlier, Iranian police have

arrested an eight-year-old girl

and her family for selling heroin

in Tehran, Iranian Television

pounds) of the drug. Under a law enacted last month addicts who have not kicked their habit within six months can be sent to labour camps.

Some of those in the camps are to be set to digging moats along the borders of Afghanistan and Pakistan to prevent drug smugglers entering the country.

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# 'Turkey has no designs on Cyprus'

NICOSIA. Feb 18, (Reuter): Turkish-Cypriot leader Rauf Denktash has denied Greek-Cypriot claims that mainland Turkey had expansionist designs

on Cyprus.
"Turkey has no expansionist policy. There is no reason for her to advance south," Denktash said in a statement telexed to Turkey only pushed back the opposition forces in Cyprus to the present borders and saved

Turks from being burned in mass He was responding to a Cyprus government statement on Thursday accusing Ankara of expansionism by trying to change the demographic make-

up of the island. The accusation followed a report in an opposition news-paper in North Cyprus alleging that Turkish-Cypriot leaders were understating the number of mainland Turkish settlers in

their self-proclaimed republic. Yeniduzen newspaper said there were 46,216 settlers not 14,000 as Denktash maintained. Cyprus has been divided since 1974 when Turkey sent troops into the north following a shortlived coup in Nicosia engineered

In 1983 Turkish Cypriots declared a breakaway Turkish Republic of North Cyprus, recognised only by Ankara.

by the military junta then ruling

# ted Recruit shares in his name. Bush urged to back Taiwan's right to self-determination

WASHINGTON, Feb 18, (AP): Taiwanese groups in the United States have urged US President George Bush to back self-determination for Taiwan, when he meets Chinese leaders in Beijing later this month.

Heads of nine Taiwanese-American and Taiwanese US residents' groups asked Bush in a joint letter "to state explicitly to the Beijing authorities that the US government supports the right of the people of Taiwan to self-determination." The last four American

residents "have progressively weakened US support for the right of Taiwan's people to decide that question for them-selves," said the letter released to news media. The letter urged Bush "not to make any concessions to the People's Republic of China on Taiwan's international

# Support

The Nationalists fled to the island province of Taiwan after the communists defeated them in a civil war that ended in 1949 with the founding of the People's Republic of China. Nevertheless. the government of Taiwan has continued to claim to represent all of China. The Beijing govern-ment considers Taiwan a province of the mainland.

The United States recognises the government in Beijing and has not supported a separatist movement in Taiwan.



**Bush: pressure** 

"There is no need for the US to defer to China on the issue of Taiwan's future," because improved relations with the Soviet Union have made obsolete "the idea of playing the China card against the USSR."

the letter said. It asserted that mainland China "needs US capital, technology and diplomatic support as much as the US needs China's markets and friendship. The letter was signed by David

Tsai, a US Library of Congress scholar who is president of Washington's centre for Taiwan International Relations, a study group that advocates self-determination and decreased diplomatic isolation for Taiwan without explicitly rejecting the alternatives of unification with the mainland or independence.

eight other organisations includ-ing Ben Hsieh, president of the Taiwanese Christian Church Council of North America, which is made up of 31 congregations, and heads of Taiwanese women's, literary, medical, academic and other professional groups. Doubts Scalapino, Robert American expert on Asia, said

Tsai said the letter also was

sent on behalf of presidents of

affairs.

that Chinese leaders would likely raise the Taiwan issue but it was doubtful the Bush administration would press Taiwan into unification negotiations because it would reopen the China issue in American

Although not formally recog-nised as such, "in my opinion, the government of Taiwan is independent loday... Taiwan has exercised the right to make its own decisions for a great many years," Scalapino, director of the East Asian institute at the university of California in Berkeley, told a press briefing on Asian

declared independence, he continued, "I think the chances are high the PRC would take some form of retaliatory action ... and it's also clear that neither of Taiwan's two principal partners .. the United States and Japan, favour such a course because it

would be destabilising."

But if Taiwan formally

# New charges

ATHENS, Feb 18, (Reuter): prison cell.

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### **Drug shortage** problem solved, says Mudaf

THE Ministry of Public Health has solved the problem of drug shortage according to Ibrahim A. Mudaf, acting undersecretary

at the ministry. He said that the problem arose due to the lack of some heart disease medicines due to deficit

Mudaf pointed out that the ministry received an additional budget to recover the shortage of

drugs.
He added that the estimated budget was KD6 million and firmly denied the KD21 million which was mentioned in one of the local dailies.

### Standard

All government hospitals and health centres were provided with the necessary drugs, he added.

The official pointed out that

health services in Kuwait are as high in standard as that of most advanced countries in the world. Mudaf said that medical mistakes may be committed by the most specialised medical establishments in the world, and pointed out that the ministry investigates all mistakes committed by the medical staff in government and private hospitals,

thoroughly. The ministry is still working to develop its health services, he

### Osaimi message to Omani counterpart

MUSCAT, Feb 18, (KUNA): The Omani Foreign Under-secretary for Political Affairs Haithem Bin Tareq today received a message addressed to Omani State Minister for Foreign Affairs Yousef Bin Alawi from his Kuwaiti counterpart Saoud Al Osaimi.

Radio Muscat reported that the message, dealing with bilateral relations and means of fostering them in various spheres, was delivered this morning by Kuwaiti ambassador here Abdul Wahab Yousef Al

# **Health welfare** public authority

KUWAIT, Feb 18, (KUNA): Health Minister Dr Abdel Razzaq Al Abdel Razzaq issued a decision on setting up a committee to study a draft law on establishing a health welfare public

The committee which composed of a number of senior Health Ministry officials will study the possible application of the system and its contribution in developing health services and austerity plans.

The committee includes Director of Kuwait Institute for Medical Specialities Dr Abdullah Al Refai, Director of Sabah Health Area Mahmoud Al Bader, Professor at the Medicine Faculty Dr Mustafa Al Khojali as well as other senior officials at the ministry.

# Arafat message to Zaved

ABU DHABI, Feb 18, (KUNA): President of the United Arab Emirates Sheikh Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahayan today received a message from Chairman of PLO Yasser Arafat.

The message dealt with developments of the Palestinian cause and the peace settlement in the Mideast and developments of the uprising in the occupied territories.

The message was conveyed by head of the PLO's political department Farouk Qaddoumi.

### **Mazidi** meets S. Yemen minister

KUWAIT, Feb 18, (KUNA): State Minister for Services Affairs Issa Al Mazidi conferred in his office today with South Yemeni Minister of Communications Saleh Abdullah Muth-

The discussions, in the presence of the Yemeni Ambassador to Kuwait Awad Salem, dealt with joint co-operation especially in field of Civil Avia-

**Telecommunications** KÜWAIT, Feb 18, (KUNA): Acting Communications Undersecretary Salman Al Roumi today met with secretary-general of the International Telecom-

munications Union. They discussed issues of mutual concern topped by the nomination of Kuwait to membership of the Geneva-based union's administrative board for

the next seven years. They also reviewed results of the board's latest meeting which dealt with prominent topics on the agenda of the commissioned representatives scheduled for

next May in France. The secretary-general stopped here for one day on his way to Singapore to attend the conference and exhibition of Asian telecommunications.

# in ticket prices

at the Kuwait Airways Corporation (KAC) Abdullah Al Nafisi has denied any intention by KAC to increase the price of tickets and confirmed efforts were being made in co-ordination with the Civil Aviation personnel to put an end to unreasonable price reductions offered by certain travel agencies.

Nafisi said KAC had, of late increased free luggage allowance per passenger, from 30 kg to 40 kg for first-class passengers.

He said KAC was planning to expand its routes to Eastern Europe, and that deliberations were currently going on to obtain the necessary approvals from the concerned governments.

pilots as highly qualified and competent saying that the existing number of Kuwaiti pilots was 41 out of 88 and 95 co-pilots out

He said that KAC constantly developed specialist training courses for Kuwaiti technical staff, and that Kuwaitis constituted more than fifty per cent of the total staff. Nafisi also added that KAC

had of late introduced a new privileged service to its first-class passengers which included menus for various types of Kuwaiti cuisine and movies showing the traditional Kuwaiti way of life.

# **KPTC** to operate new bus routes

KUWAIT'S Public Transport Company (KPTC) Board Chairman, Abdul Wahab Al Haroun, has said that the company will soon operate new routes in Kuwait and will develop its

current operating routes.

He stated that he has signed a number of contracts to purchase modern middle size buses.

Haroun said that the company recently added two new ferry boats to its sea fleet, which are speedy and capable of carrying a large number of passengers.

**New routes** In an interview with a local daily, he added that KPTC is working very hard to boost and develop its services and administration. An agreement was signed between Kuwait and Jordan to start the operation of a new route between the two countries. Passengers will be able to reach

Arab capitals of the Mediterranean by using this route.

The company will soon open a route between Kuwait and Basra, the official said.

The company's objective is to increase the number of passengers in addition to linking modern model areas. Other future plans include establishing some company garages, especially those owned by the Ministry of the Interior.

Haroun said that the company will hold several training courses in order to train Kuwaiti man-

KPTC has a capital estimated at KD40 million with an annual budget of nearly KD66 million. Haroun pointed out that the company did not accept government subsidies during the past seven years and has shown a small profit in the last five years.

# Hanan Village to be officially inaugurated February 24

(KUNA): A \$7-million refugee children's village financed by a group of benevolent Kuwaiti ladies will be officially inaugurated in eastern Sudan next Friday Feb 24, under the patronage of the Prime Minister Sadiq Al Mahdi.

The project, which took five years to complete, was undertaken by the Kuwaiti Women Cultural and Social Society and 'Osrati' (My Family) magazine.

'Hanan Village' will cater for children of the refugees living in the Sudan specially the orphans with 20 per cent of the total intake reserved for orphan Sudanese children.

The village, some 650 kilometres east of Khartoum on the Red Sea, is designed to provide educational and training opportunities for the children of refugees at nursery, elementary and intermediate levels and technical training.
Other facilities in the village

include boarding houses, a clinic, a dining hall, a shopping centre, a mosque, a power station, water works, a bakery and dairy farm in addition to sport facilities.

Premier Mahdi, who is patronising the opening ceremony, is expected to deputise someone else since he will be leaving for Tokyo to attend the funeral of Emperor Hirohito due there the same day.

### Six Arab countries accepted in **UN sub-committee on narcotics**

VIENNA, Feb 18, (KUNA): The International Committee on Narcotics, an affiliate of the UN Socio-Economic Council, has accepted the membership of Kuwait, United Arab Emirates, Yemen Arab Republic, Oman, Lebanon and Saudi Arabia to its sub-committee on illegal trading in narcotics in the Middle and Near East

The committee last night wound up its 33rd session here and submitted a recommendation to the council requesting acceptance of the said countries to its membership.

Lebanon's Ambassador Yahia Mahmassani told KUNA that the presence of Arab countries in the committee would boost co-operation among the member states with the aim of bringing under control illegal trading in narcotics. He said the sub-committee for

THE Director of the Environ-

mental and Earth Science Depar-

tment at the Kuwait Institute for

Scientific Research Dr Dari Al

Ajami has said that department

personnel are currently under-

taking studies and research on

the evaluation, maintenance and

protection of Kuwait's natural

part of these activities were

aimed at identifying properties

of the natural environment and

associated ecological patterns to

Ajami told a local daily that

environment on land and sea.

the Middle and Near East would meet next February in Turkey to consider means of boosting regional co-operation between the member states on drugs con-

Fifty three countries including the five permanent member states at the UN Security Council were signatories to the agreement but it needs ratification of at least 20 countries to be effective.

# **Budget**

The committee's chairman told a press conference here last night that the UN's decision to cut the committees budget by 25 per cent within the framework of austerity measures could hamper his committee's activities.

The committee called on all countries, parties to the agreement, to increase their financial contributions in order to enable the committee to take the necessary measures for combatting narcotics.

determine man's negative effects from urban, industrial and other development projects, including

the unguided utilisation of

**Evaluation** 

been busy evaluating the various

factors affecting oil pollutants at

sea, and different phases through

which these pollutants pass

including physical operations,

evaporation, dispersion, decom-

position, absorption and

sedimentation, which were foll-

He said the department had

natural resources.

# KAC denies hike Drug addiction is not a major problem, says CID director

DRUG addiction in Kuwait is not a major problem and according to available statistics, addiction in Kuwait is not widespread, according to a high ranking Kuwaiti official.

Col. Abdulla Al Fares, director-general of the Criminal Investigations Department (CID) described as baseless, press reports that drug addiction and similar bad habits like inhalation of some materials like Patex was widespread among youth and school boys. He also denied that drug addiction is widespread among school boys.
CID personnel have been suc-

cessful in apprehending people who tried to plant some narcotics in their gardens and pharmacists selling drugs and pills.

The ministry will soon be

introducing the services of dogs to sniff drugs which will enhance the capabilities of customs and



police personnel, Fares said. He added that in 1988, 330 persons were arrested for either trading, smuggling or possession of drugs and narcotics. A total of

# was 3.6 kgs of heroin during the beginning of last year, Fares said. Control of expatriate manpower major achievement of five-year-plan: Awadi

By Mahmoud Abedin

KUWAITS major achieve-ments of the first five-year plan has been the capability to reduce the growth rate of expatriate manpower and control its direction, according to a senior Kuwaiti official.

Dr Abdul Hadi Al Awadi, undersecretary at the Ministry of Planning who is also the general co-ordinator of the five-year development plan said that growth of expatriates manpower dropped from 7.5 per cent in the first year of the plan to 4.8 per cent in the second and 3.8 per cent in the third.

National manpower in the third year of the plan increased by 4.3 per cent for the first. This complies with the objectives of the plan which envisage achieving a demographic balance between Kuwaitis and expatriates,

By Lima Al Khalafawi

"Hip Surgery" on behalf of Kuwait's Institute for Medical

ecialisation's Director Di

Speaking at the symposium, Zaid said that such meetings are

a means for advancing knowledge of the subject in this

country by inviting experts to expound the latest developments

in this field in the world.

Prof. J. Sharrad of Sheffield

University UK assessed the

various aspects of hip joints. He

commented that it is important

to have a good knowledge of the child's medical history in this res-

pect. A careful clinical examina-

tion should be done to assess the

power of the muscles, the degree

of shortening of the leg, studying

the gait and examining the defor-

PUBLIC donations paid for

needy families reached KD15,347,222 during the last

year, according to Mohammed Al Subaih, director of social

services at the Ministry of Social

He said about 10,000 families

benefitted from the donations

and that the ministry bad paid

KD1,309,825 as donations last

Donations given to individuals increased from KD61 to KD102 per month in

1986, the ministry has no inten-

tion of further increase at present

owed by a series of biological

operations involving bio-conver-

sion and decomposition of oil

compounds and photo-oxidisa-

tion of the resultant chemicals.

Ajami pointed out that these

studies had been greatly ins-

trumental in identifying different chemical and biological reac-

tions caused by oil pollutants,

which result in various negative

These studies were aimed at

environmental effects.

mity around the hip.

Affairs and Labour.

Donations

month.

Abdulla Al Rifai.

He added that Kuwait's development plan acknowledges the fact that achieving this target is a long range strategy expected to be achieved by the year 2,000. Control

Awadi stressed that the plan lays great emphasis on achieving demographic balance through reducing the number of unskilled workforce—specially maids and domestics. Kuwaitis will have to extend their co-operation if these aims are to be achieved, he said. The development plan puts great emphasis on developing the national manpower and diversifying its contributions to the various economic sectors.

Speaking on the budget deficit, Awadi said that the first three years of the five-year development plan in Kuwait greatly succeeded in controlling

Hip surgery symposium opens at

Sharrad highlighted his speech

the range of movement and the

with the use of slides depicting

UK. He recommended operative

remedies and internal fixing.

These techniques were first

experimented by the French and

subsequently adopted by all doc-

He added that such techniques

need professional experience to

understand the complexity of

these fractures and avoid severe

bleeding, nerve damage to the leg and vascular injuries to the blad-

Dr Melinko of Kuwait's

Faculty of Medicine gave a scien-tific review based on literature of

the fracture of the acetabulum.

its management and complica-

tions that are likely to arise dur-

tions are manifested by stiffness

Social affairs donations KD15.3 million in 1988

The ministry also helps needy

families repay loans to the Public

Housing Authority and pays all-

owances for winter and summer

the number of families who get

support from the ministry after

the opening of society develop-

ment centres in different areas

The ministry has already opened a centre in Bayan which

offers some training courses for

the girls of needy families. These

girls will be given certificates

in local establishments and min-

istries. They will learn typing,

sizing up the gravity of the effects

sustained by marine life, which

ultimately posed a serious threat

source of food is the sea, the

He said part of these activities

was aimed at establishing the

effect of the ebb and tide motion

in the spread of oil pollutants

through the development of

varying sea torrents, which

ultimately threatened the dif-

ferent installations alongside

vhich will qualify them to work

Subaih expects a reduction in

clothes, the official added.

around Kuwait.

official said.

Kuwaiti shores.

ing treatment. Such complica-

tors around the world.

**Al Razi Orthopaedic Hospital** 

diture and developing non-oil revenues. These positively reflected in reducing the size of the budget deficit from KD1,025 million in the first year to just under KD800 million in the third year. The state's borrowings from the local market helped reduce the deficit which was a result of the development plan policies.

over 64.5 kilos of hashish, 4.5

kilos of heroin, about 9 kilos of

opium, over 5 kilos of marijuana,

and over 1.8 million of various

pills and other narcotics were

Drug traffickers are using

sophisticated means to bring in

the contraband. Some recently

tried to smuggle drugs in car bat-

teries. The car batteries were

divided — the part containing the acidified water was divided

into two compartments - the

lower part held the drugs. In

another attempt a merchant put

33 kilos of hashish in cigarettes

exported to Kuwait. The stran-

gest case has been where heroin

was concealed within potatoes

being brought in a truck from

The biggest quantity of drugs seized at any one time in Kuwait

The Planning Ministry will submit next mouth detailed reports on the performance of the five-year-plan during the first-three years. The report is to be submitted to the ministers, undersecretaries and other senior officials for discussions and interactions.

The plan could not achieve a 100 per cent target goal due to external factors adversely affecting the implementation, Awadi

around the hip, wear and tear

Dr. Abdulla Malki a consul-

painful, stiff and could also be the result of arthritis arising out

Total joint replacements are

devices which are composed of

two components — a special

plastic cup which will fit a special

metal head called the spherical

head. In a combination both act

as an artificial hip joint. Com-

plications are very rare and such

surgeries performed in Kuwait

have a success rate of 95 per cent.

need of hip replacement are vic-tims of accidents. In Europe the

majority of patients having hip

replacement are due to degenera-

The symposium will end

tailoring and design. The centre

works to make them more

Omani decree

to receive similar medical

services as their Omani counter-

The decree will come into

effect by the beginning of March.

parts enjoy.

tion of the joints.

productive, he said.

The majority of patients in

and osteo-arthritis.

of old age.

# Viking-Islamic links being reviewed at coins exhibition

By Fathima Ahmed

THE link between the Vikings and the Islamic world is being revived by the Swedes, who are now showing a modest collection of early Islamic coins found in Sweden at the Dar Al Athar Al

The exhibition opened yester-

The enormously creative and innovative character of Islamic civilisation is less wellappreciated by the world at large," said Sheikha Hussa Al Sabah, director of Dar Al Athar, who added that the role of Vikings in world history is "underappreciated" with much emphasis on their image as 'pirates and plunderers." Link

She expects the exhibition to raise appreciation for both Islamic and Scandinavian" cul-

Enlarged photographs of both sides of eight silver coins, inscribed with quotations from the Holy Quran are on display. They were found buried on the island of Gotland in the Baltic. The coins, dated between 80 and 390 AH, were minted in Oman, Saudi Arabia, Iraq, Syria, Egypt, Tun-isia, Algeria and Morocco.

Swedish-Arabist Professor Bengt Knuttson, who is in Kuwait for the exhibition and a series of lectures, believes the coins establish a link between the Swedish-Vikings, who travelled East, and the Abbasid Calinhate. Knuttson said about 80,000

silver coins, minted between 80 and 390 AH (700-1000 AD), were discovered among German and Anglo-Saxon coins found in Birka, the presumed capital of ancient Sweden, and on the Gotland island, which may have been a trading centre over a

thousand years ago.
The Viking period lasted from about 800 to 1050 AD and in the



Professor Bengt Knuttson

9th century. Swedes travelled east through Russia. An Arab. fon Fadlan recorded the contacts between the Vikings and the Muslim world in the 9th century.

Knuttson believes the coins may have been plundered by the Vikings or brought back by "peaceful traders" as present for the wife or family. Fragment of decorated glass beakers, but-tles, metal objects and balance scales were also found.

The contacts of Vikings ended abruptly with the Islamic world in the 11th century. In the last two decades. Swedes have become "increasingly interested in Islamic heritage, culture and history," particularly after the oil crisis and the strategic importance of the region.

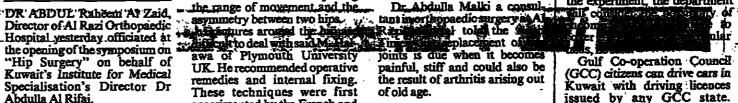
A cultural programme began in 1984 when Sweden took part in a discussion on Arab poetry and literature. Noted scholars and poets from the Arab world took part in that meeting. This was followed by a festival of Islamic culture and arts in Stockholm in 1985. Four Swedish universities -

Stockholm, Lund, Gothenborg and Uppsala - now teach Arabian history and semitic languages. There are 75,000 Muslims, including neo-Muslims and those of Arab descent, in Sweden.

# Meter system for call taxis experiment soon

KUWAIT'S traffic department will soon experiment with the meter system of payment for all call taxis, according to Col. Salem Al Roumi, the traffic director at the Capital Gover-

On evaluating the success of the experiment, the department



Citizens of these states can also use their cars in Kuwait for any length of time without their having to transfer their number plate to Kuwaiti number plates. Camera The traffic department has installed a camera at Keifan flyover

to apprehend drivers who cross the red signal. The use of the camera is experimental and if its performance proves a success, will be introduced at all major signals in Kuwait, the official Drivers who cross the red sig-

nal face a fine of KD50 or a jail term of one month or both. The punishment will be doubled if the violation is repeated, the official

The state has built a large number of pedestrian flyovers to protect pedestrians from being injured. All people have been

requested to use the flyovers. The Ministry of Interior is increasing its patrols to apprehend those who cross roads under these flyovers, Roumi said.

The traffic department is undertaking several studies to reduce the rate of traffic accidents and alleviate traffic congestion and traffic jams. Last year a total of 320 persons died in traffic accidents, 1,008 badly injured and 2,772 were slightly injured. A total of 201,440 traffic violations were reported during a total of 592,038 vehicles were registered in Kuwait - 47.204 were new vehicles. A total of

28,892 driving licences were also issued during last year. Rights Traffic police have been trained to be courteous. Any traffic policeman found guilty of misconduct will be punished by a military court. Policemen in

uniform or carrying the identity card have the right to seize the driving licence or car book. The driver has the right not to give his licence or book to the policemen if he does not identify himself. Government driving schools are to be opened within one year.

A school will be opened in the Capital and another in Hawalli. The present driving schools have been found to have performed dismaily. These schools will be closed after the government open their own schools, Roumi said.

### Contracts signed for establishment of public gardens in various areas

ned recently for establishing public gardens in Hawalli, Surrah, Qurtuba, Ardiyah, Mis-href, Salwa, Bayan, Hadiyah, Sabahiyah and Fahaheel, according to an official source at Kuwait's Public Authority for Agriculture Affairs and Fish Resources. The projects will be carried out within two years.

The source also confirmed that tenders for another nine gar-dens will be announced soon. will begin in July and are expec-ted to be completed within two

усагь. Another 23 gardens will be implemented in the plan and will be distributed in different areas in addition to afforestation of 6,000 hectares in Sulaibiyah, Shadadiyah, Jahra and spring camping areas, the source said.

# Telephones network at Hawally

Houti told a local newspaper that under the new system, the telephone networks serving Hawally, Jabriya and Nuzha would be combined and operated by Hawally telecommunication centre and computerised to ensure quick proces-

service applications would be

processed during July this year following the operation of the underground network which would replace existing aerial Houti also said the ministry

was planning to expand the capacity of its telephone exchange office in Farwaniya by 10,000 lines to meet increasing demands. The expansion will be possible in June this year.

He stressed the success of the new magnetic card public call system following the installation of 14 card-operated telephone sets in various locations around the country. The ministry has invited a public tender for the provision of 20 more such sets for installation in various places. The magnetic cards were available in three different price units. namely KD10, five and three, the

# Families responsible for teaching children cleanliness, says official

KUWAIT Municipality organ-ised a seminar recently on the role of the family towards instill-

ing cleanliness among children. Dr Messad Shlash from Kuwait University said that families should shoulder their responsibilities towards grooming children to respect cleanliness

etiquette in general and the

cleanliness law in particular. He

called on citizens to abide by the

cleanliness law either in their residences or in the street and public places.

Luluwa Al Qatami the chairman of Woman Cultural and Social Society referred to the society's efforts towards preserving cleanliness in the country. She recalled that the society had adopted a cleanliness campaign on Feb 25, 1966.

She praised the Kuwaiti

women's role in preserving clean-liness and added that the society had provided garbage bins at Keifan Co-operative Society and had adopted a cleanliness campaign in co-operation with the Kuwait Municipality.

Islamic teachings urge all Muslims everywhere to be clean, the official said.

Hozam Al Tami from the

cleanliness department at Kuwait Municipality confirmed the importance of the family role in creating a clean generation. He concentrated on the mother's role which represented a good example to be followed by the children. He added that the enlightened mother will enhance her role in creating and spread cleanliness awareness among family members.

### Study on Kuwait's natural environment being undertaken Petroleum conference March 6-9 to human beings whose prime

THE Chairman of the Organising Committee of Catalysts in Petroleum Refining, Dr Saad Okasha expressed appreciation to HH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister for agreeing to patronise a conference scheduled to take place in Kuwait, March 6-

In an interview with a local daily, Okasha said that the conference to be organised by Kuwait Institute for Scientific Research (KISR) in co-operation with Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Science (KFAS), Gulf Co-operation Council (GCC) General Secretariat, Kuwait National Petroleum Company (KNPC) and Kuwait University, will be attended by 220 specialists representing 30 countries including GCC member states and other eight Arab countries.

#### MUSCAT, Feb 18, (KUNA): Omani Minister of Health Ali SEVERAL contracts were sig-These gardens will be established Bin Mohammed Al Mousa in Mansouriyah, Rawdah, issued a decree according to Nuzha, Keifan, Riqai, Rumaithwhich all Gulf Co-operation iyah and Abu Hulaifah, The Council nationals, who are in implementation of these gardens Oman as tourists or residents, are

to provide quick service THE Assistant Undersecretary

for Subscriber Service Affairs at the Ministry of Communications Khaled Al Houti has said that the ministry is currently preparing to endorse the new system at Hawally telecommunication centre, whereby applications for telephone services wil be proces-sed after three days from the date of submission.

sing of service applications.

He said that preparations were also underway to sort out existing telephone problems in Andalus, and that the new

official said.

### WHAT'S ON

ARTS

### Young Artists

Exhibition UNTIL Feb 23: An exhibition of paintings and drawings by Kuwaiti artists in Kuwait will be held at the Dahiyat Abdullab Al Salem gallery. It will be open from 8 am to 12 noon and 4 to 8 pm.

Ghadir Gallery UNTIL March 19: Recent paintings by British water colour artist Patricia Millus. will be shown at the Ghadir Gallery, Salbiya Complex, Mezzanine, Gate 5, daily from 9 am to 12 noon and 4 to 8.30

Sultan Gallery
FEB 2]: An exhibition of paintings by Bangladeshi artist Mounirul Islam opens at the gallery, Thunayan Al Ghanim Bldg, Al Soor St. It will be open

#### CINEMA

from 5 to 8 pm.

**British Council** FEB 19 - 6.30 pm. This month's feature film is "Unsuitable Job for a Woman," an off-beat detective story starring Pippa Guard as Cordelia Gray who takes over a detective agency after the death of her boss. Admission is free but it is advisable to reserve seats. Tel: 2515512/2533204/ 2533227.

#### MUSIC

Piano Recital FEB 22: Pianist Anthony Peebles will give a recital at the Kuwait International Hotel, Terrace Room. For reservations contact the hotel.

French Music Concert FEB 20: French pianist Roselyne Masset-Lecocq and soprano Francoise Carre will present a selection of classical and contemporary music at a concert at the Meridien Hotel. Tickets available at Meridien Hotel, Business Centre, Voltaire Institute and French Cultural Centre.

### **EXHIBITIONS**

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Islamic Coins in Sweden FEB 18-23: An exhibition of

Islamic Coins in Sweden will be heid at the Dar Al Athar Al Islamia (Islamic Arts Museum). It will be open daily from 8 am to 12 noon and 4 to 7 traffic accider Linema

# TECTURES DIE DERIVER

Vikings and Arabs

A series of lectures will be given by a visiting Swedish-Arabist Professor Bengt Knuttson. The programme is as

FEB 19 (6 pm): Lecture on Swedish Arab Relations Over the Centuries, at the Faculty Members Club, Kuwait University, Shuwaikh. FEB 20 (6 pm): A talk on Arabic and Islamic Studies at

Swedish Universities, Faculty Members Club. FEB 21 (6 pm): A lecture on Swedish-Arabic Encounter

and Poetry, Faculty Members FEB 22 (6 pm): A recital of Swedish poetry translated into

Arabic will be held at the

Kuwait Writers Association,

### Adeliya. SOCIAL

Bangladesh Martyr's Day FEB 21: The Bangladesh embassy in Kuwait will observe the Martyr's Day (Shahid Dibosh) from 9 am at the embassy premises in Jabriya. A week-long exhibition of Ben-gali books written by Bangladeshi writers will be opened by Ambassador K.M. She

habuddin. Feb 23: The Bangladesh Association will hold a discussion followed by a cultural programme to mark the Martyr's Day. All Bangladeshis are invited for both events.

KAPILKU Meeting FEB 21: KAPILKU will hold their officers meeting from 8.30 pm at the Holiday lnn Hotel. They will discuss mini-Olympics, sing-a-alike contest, the masquerade ball and other matters.

Dance Recital

FEB 22: Dr Padma Subramanyam, a noted dancer and scholar of Indian classical dance, will give a lecture at 7.30 pm. It will be followed by public reception. Only those holding an entry pass for any of the following dance shows will be allowed to attend.

Feb 23 (6.30 pm): Dr Padma Subramanyam will give a Bharata Natya (dance-ballet)

Feb 25 (6 pm): Dr Padma will give a solo-recital called Jataya Moksham," danced to Tcharkovsky's music.

The dance show is part of the Nehru Centenary celebration. Both performances and the lecture will be held at the IAC, Funaitees. For entry passes contact 3904817.

# **GOING PLACES**

# An artist celebrates the glory of sunshine

WATERCOLOURS of bright, vibrant images of Kuwait sharply offset the unusually dull grey weather yesterday.

The paintings by perceptive British artist Patricia Millns celebrate the glory of sunshine. Nearly all the 33 paintings on show at the Ghadir Gallery play with light and shade, with a delicate blend of desert and sadu colours highlighting the images.
The artist has an eye for the

offbeat and the unusual in the mundane and uses extravagant colours to contrast the bright sunlight, creating neat and stunning images.
Palms Arabia, one of the

paintings on show, captures the

quaint desert background in the shadow of green palm fronds. Others focus on the interplay of light and shade, an aspect that the artist finds fascinating, to detail the knobs on the Tareq Rajab doorway or to capture the courtyard entrance of the Beit Al Badr. Bright sadu colours adorn the interior of the Bedouin Tents, a series of four paintings, which focus on the warmth of the sun and the coolness in the shade.

Patricia Millns, who exhibited in 1986 and 1987 in Kuwait, seems more confident while experimenting with sharp colours and lighting effects.



The British Ambassador to Kuwait, Peter Hinchcliffe looking keenly at a painting of Milins.

(Photo by Javed Basra)

February:

'I Love

to Read'

month

THE American School of Kuwait (ASK), Salwa, campus

sports a festive look with heart

shaped reading posters inviting

pupils to spend an hour or more on reading. The ASK has dedicated February to encourage children to read dur-

ing what they describe as the "I

All students of the elemen-

tary grades are trying to spend

some extra time reading every

contest and asked students to

create an original bookmark.

Speakers were invited from

commercial establishments to

give a talk on the value of read-

ing.
Good reading habits
developed in childhood will

benefit a person during his

At the end of the month, boys

and girls who have accompli-

shed the goal will be given prizes. Each boy and girl will

also be asked to join the "book character parade." Children

will dress up as an animal or

person from a book for the

parade. Parents will be invited to attend the eyent.

on safety

A SPECIAL seminar on safety,

fire fighting and evacuation was recently held by Kuwait

Sheraton Hotel. It was organ-

ised by the hotel in co-opera-

tion with the General Director

of the Fire Brigade, Lt. Hussain

Al Ali and Asa'ad Abdullah conducted the seminar, atten-

ded by the hotel staff. Such seminars are held by the hotel

to enable employees to cope

with any emergency and for the

safety of guests. Picture on

right shows some of the par-

Seminar

ASK also held a bookmark

day, a teacher said.

whole life, she said.

Love to Read" celebration.



Two ASK students reading a poster for 'I Love to Read' celebration.



 The Bulgarian Ambassador Angel Mantchey on Wednesday hosted a reception at his residence for Bulgaria's Deputy Minister of Foreign Economic Relations Gueorgui Pirinski, who was on an official visit to Kuwait. A large number of officials and diplomats attended. Above: Pirinski (second right) seen with the host (left) and some of the guests. (Photo by

# Mexican Night

● Each Sunday, the Meridien Hotel, in co-operation with the Electronic Appliances Corporation (EAC), features a Mexican Night at La Brasserie. The promotion, which continues until March 19, offers traditional "south of the border" specialities.

A raffle is also being held. Prizes, by courtesy of EAC, include a colour TV, video, refrigerator, cassette players and an invitation from the hotel.

Picture on left: EAC Sales and Marketing Manager Rafeeq Al Abbar (right) with Meridien's Public Relations Manager Yusuf Al Ghabra.



 The Flying Arrows Sporting Centre last week held a Valentine's Day dinner-dance party for members and their families at the SAS Tent. Above: Some of the guests dancing to music at the party. (Photo by Mohd Abbas)

# **TELEVISION PROGRAMMES**

#### KTV<sub>1</sub>

9.00 Holy Quran 9.10 Good Morning

9.15 Cartoon serial

9.45 World News via Satellite 10.00 Al Thaman: Arabic serial; Starring: Jamil Awadh, Juliet

Awadh, Ruhi Al Safdi, Iman Kamel. 10.50 News Summary/Go-

od Morning 11.00 Khalati Qamasha: local Arabic serial; starring Khalid Al Nafisi, Hayat Al Fahad, Abdullah, Ghanem Al Saleh, Maryam Ghadban, Ali Mufeedi.

12.00 That's Incredible 1.00 News Summary 1.05 National songs

1.45 Special programmes on National Day 4.15 World News via Satellite followed by news and views about Kuwait to mark the National Day celebration. Regular features like the historical serial Ibn Attiya, starring Majed Afiouni, Shafiq Hassan, Marcel Marina and cartoons will also be shown.

7.00 News Summary 7.45 Good Evening 8.30 Special programme 9.00 News in Arabic

9.50 Al Baheraat Al Marrah: Arabic serial, starring Has-san Abideen, Ahmad Maher, Muna Jabar, Fatima Tabae, Mohammad Rida and Anwar Ismael.

10.50 Aghani wa Nus: local variety show, hosted by Fatima Abdul Wahab. Directed by Ali Al Rayes.

12.30 News Summary 12.35 World News via Satellite/ Holy Quran/Closedown

### KTV2

2.30 Opening and Holy

Ouran 2.35 A recording of the football match bet-

ween Qadsia and Salmiya clubs 4.15 Tennis: a recording

of the Australian Open Women's final 5.50 World of Animals 6.15 Cartoon serial: Denis

the Menace. 6.30 The Owl: a look at colours, how wasps build their nests and kite-flying. 7.00 Scientific Eye: ton-

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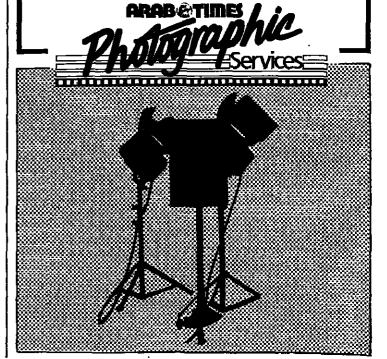
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Israelis debate the once unthinkable

# Talking to PLO

By Roni Rabin

OCCUPIED JERUSALEM, (AP): Spurred by a US decision to launch a dialogue with the Palestine Liberation Organization, Israelis have embarked on a serious debate about a once-virtual taboo: the possibility of talking peace with the PLO. While Prime Minister Yitzhak

Shamir insists he will never talk to the PLO, many Israelis are calling on the government to reverse its stance in response to changes in PLO positions and the Palestinian uprising in the occupied territories.

The subject is debated almost daily on popular radio news shows and in newspaper columns. At least two members of the mainstream Labour Party. cabinet minister Ezer Weizman and ex-minister Abba Eban, have urged contacts with representatives of PLO chairman Yasser Arafat.

Once opposed to talks with the PLO, the broad-based Peace Now Movement, which turned out thousands of demonstrators in opposition to Israel's Lebanon war, now supports such contacts.

"We must speak with them, we must listen, we must exchange words ... we have to talk to those we want to make peace with," said Galia Golan, a leading Peace Now figure. Hurdle

For many Israelis, accepting the PLO is not just a political but a psychological hurdle. For years, they have associated it with atrocities, such as armed attacks on families in northern Israeli and the 1972 massacres of 11 Israeli athletes at the Munich

But a public opinion poll late last year said 54-per cent of Israelis support talks with the PLO, provided it renounces terrorism and accepts Israel's

ising in the West Bank and Gaza Strip, and Arafat's statements renouncing terrorism and accepting Israel's existence.

Frequently rough Israeli tac-tics aimed at quelling the uprising have brought about international criticism of the Jewish state. Many Israelis also feel their 19 own traditions are compromised as they see soldiers beating and shooting Palestinian rioters.

At least 370 Palestinians in the occupied territories have been killed in clashes with troops durIsraelis have died.

Arafat's more moderate stance has isolated Israel in the world community. The United States agreed to open a dialogue with the PLO in December, and several European nations are urging Israel to open such negotiations.

Shamir, leader of the rightwing Likud Bloc, repeated he would never speak to the PLO. His party's coalition agreement with Labour takes that stand, but dovish members of Labour are starting to call for changes.

At least two Labour members are among the four Israeli legislators who have attended meetings along with PLO officials in the past month. Weizman, a former Air Force officer and defence minister, said in an interview with the Jerusalem Post last week that Shamir should end the ban on talking to the PLO.

"Today the only party able to deliver what it promises in the territories — able to bring about an end to the rioting — is the PLO," he said.

But opponents — including the Likud Bloc, which won the most votes in November elections — say the PLO has not changed, despite Arafat's statements.

"They want a Palestinian state in Palestine, and that means not iust Judea and Samaria ... but Jaffa, Tel Aviv and occupied Jerusalem," said Likud member

Tzahi Hanegbi. Judea and Samaria are the Biblical names of the occupied West Bank and Jaffa, Tel Áviv and West Jerusalem are in Israel itself. Hanegbi said of the PLO: The bottom line is they want a Palestinian state in Judea and Samaria just as a down payment to throw us out of here."

Risks

To right to exist.

What has brought about the largument Fyen Israelis who support talks with the PLO are aware of the danger a Palestinian state might pose for the Jewish

Israelis have fought five wars against Arab states in 40 years and still remember their vulnerable borders before Israel captured the West Bank and Gaza in the 1967 Middle East war.

"In our position, there isn't a whole lot of room for manoeuvring," Binyamin Begin, Likud member and son of the former premier, said on Israeli radio

# Japanese political system inadequate

By Stewart Slavin

TOKYO, (UPI): The burgeoning Japanese political-financial scandal, the most far-reaching in the country's history, has laid bare the stark inadequacy of a political system enslaved by the power of the yen for its survival.

There may be no other industrialized democracy where a politician is free to reap windfall profits from insider stock trading to fill his campaign coffers or gream as much as \$15 million in a .r: fund-raising party, as Prime Minister Noboru Takeshita did, without having to report the !!! funds as donations.

Where else would corporate in entertainment, much of it lavi--1: shed on politicians, surpass the national defence budget as it did earlier this decade?

The current scandal involves Recruit Co., a publishing firm specializing in job placements, which offered stock in its real estate subsidiary to 79 people before it was listed in 1986. The beneficiaries, including aides of Takeshita, former Prime Minister Yasuhiro Nakasone and other leading politicians and businessmen, were able to reap large profits when the stock's value soared after it was listed. Arrest

Recruit's former chairman Hiromasa Ezoe and three others were arrested Monday on suspicion of bribery in the first major arrests in the scandal. Ezoe also made huge donations to officials, bought massive numbers of fund-raising tickets and wined and dined politicians.

Three key cabinet members, the leader of an opposition party and the chairman of the huge Nippon Telegraph and Telephone Co. have resigned over the

Justice Minister Masami Takatsuji -- a replacement for one of the ministers who quit — has said no government officials were expected to be arrested "for

But the scandal could ultimately force Takeshita to resign and lead his Liberal Democratic Party, which has ruled the country since it was formed in 1955, to name a new leader unsulfied by moneypower politics. That could be difficult, since so many party leaders have been tainted.

Refuse

Takeshita has refused opposi-tion demands to resign and call a general election, saying it was his duty to reform the nation's

political ethics.

The handwriting may be on the wall for Takeshita, however. Voters turned a deaf ear on his pledge, trouncing an LDP can-didate in what should have been a safe upper house by-election. "Japan has become a great and

leading economic power," said Rokuro Ishikawa, head of the Japan Chamber of Commerce. "But if the roots are rotten, the nation will collapse."

Some leading politicians, however, say they are no more to blame for the current state of money-dependent politics than society as a whole.

Limit Japanese parliamentarians are aiready the highest paid in the world, earning about \$143,000 a year, a compared with \$89,500 for their American counterparts. But their expenses run almost \$1 million a year and they are limited to \$750,000 in corporate

donations. "It costs a lot of money to be a politician and it's necessary to hold (fund-raising) parties, lots of parties," said Michio Watanabe, a member of parliament and former minister whose son has been implicated in the Recruit Little to be happy even after withdrawal of Soviet troops

# Afghans must now sort out their future

By Michael Battye

ISLAMABAD, (Reuter): After nine frustrating and unsuccessful years of war against Muslim mujahedeen guerrillas, the last Soviet combat troops have gone home, leaving the fighters to sort out their country's future.

On both sides of the bitter Afghan divide are parties, groups and factions often divided among themselves ideologically and tribally despite long efforts by backers to forge a unity of purpose.

The Soviet Union, supporter of the government in Kabul, and Pakistan and the United States, backers of the mujahedeen, say they agree on one thing - only Afghans can forge a government that will last and bring stability

back to the country.

From the bloody war that most experts agree has taken at least one million lives, powerful political and military figures

have emerged.

Following are portraits of the men considered most likely to wield significant influence over the immediate future.

President Najibullah - a big, burly man of 44 who became head of the People's Democratic Party of Afghanistan (PDPA) in 1986 and head of state a year later. One thing the usually divided mujahedeen agree on is that Najibullah, a qualified doctor who for six years headed the feared Khad secret police, has no place in Afghanistan's future. Diplomacy

Ever since he took power. rumours have circulated that Moscow would ditch him as part of a peace deal with the mujahedeen. But the Soviet combat troops have left, no peace has been achieved despite intense Soviet diplomacy and Najibullah is still in charge. He heads the Parcham (flag) faction of the PDPA, which is itself divided despite seizing power from the rival Khalq (people)

faction in 1979. **BY Ruth Sinal** 

WASHINGTON, (AP): It's almost as rude as drinking from the finger bowl at an embassy dinner, or asking an ambassador how much money he makes.

The question of who will be the next dean of Washington's diplomatic corps is not some-thing foreign ambassadors like uto discuss litis simply not . diplomatic. But the issue is nonetheless a

ally hot one since the current dean, Count Wilhelm Wachtmeister of Sweden, is vacating the post in April — and his heir is not so apparent.

Wachtmeister, the toast of society columns and tennis part-

ner of presidents and congressmen, presented his credentials to then-president Richard M. Nixon on June 5, 1974.

In March 1986, when Soviet Ambassador Anatoly Dobrynin left Washington, Wachtmeister became the longest-serving member of the 153-nation diplomatic corps and therefore automatically its dean. The dean is responsible for a variety of toplevel protocol functions and is the spokesman for the entire diplomatic corps in dealings with the US government.

Longest The vice dean of the diplomatic corps, Cypriot Ambassador Andrew Jacovides, is the second-longest-serving ambassador in Washington, having arrived in July 1979. He now would be a shoo-in for the

In 1988, he got rid of the most powerful contender for power by sending Interior Minister Sayed Mohammad Gulabzoi of the Khalq faction to Moscow as ambassador.

"I'm sure Najibullah sleeps better at night now," said one Western diplomat.

Experts on Afghanistan say at the moment there is no obvious alternative to Najibullah, who has said he would step down if that would bring peace to Afghanistan. With the mujahedeen refusing to contemplate allowing the PDPA to take part in a coalition government, Najibullah's future remains uncertain. Loyalty

The loyalty of ordinary soldiers remains doubtful, although the officer corps is thought to be fairly dependable. Khad and the Sarandol, the Interior Ministry security force, are armed with the latest Soviet weaponry. Many experts think it is possible most will fight to the death rather than face possible execution by the

mujahedeen. On the mujahedeen side, the war has thrown up dozens of contenders for power both inside and outside Afghanistan. None of the exiled political leaders in Pakistan is interested in negotiating peace with Najibullah, believing Kabul and other major cities will fall quickly now Soveit troops have left. The loyalty of guerrilla commanders to these Peshawar-based political leaders is not assured. Many commanders are considered likely to be more interested in keeping control of their territory than supporting the political ambitions of

Influential Two commanders are thought

likely to be highly influential in shaping Afghanistan's future: Ahmad Shah Masood - commander of Jamiat-i-Islami forces in the Panjsher Valley northwest of Kabul whose men survived numerous Soviet and Afghan attempts to dislodge them. In his

the ambassadors of Western

Rules of international

diplomatic protocol dictate that

seniority determines succession

to a deanship. And the ambas-

sador of Western Samoa - who

presented his credentials in

February 1978 — actually is next

But Ambassador Maiava Iulai

Toma represents the South

Pacific archipelago of 141,000 at

the United Nations as well, and

maintains his office and

Job

that says an ambassador has to

be resident in the capital to

become dean, but State Depart-

ment officials say it would not be

practical to have a non-resident

dean for the demanding

ceremonial post. A State Depart-

ment official has said that if the

Western Samoan ambassador

moves to Washington, the post

Tuvalu, a Pacific island nation

of 6,000 formerly known as the

Ellis Islands, is next in line after

Western Samoa, Its Ambas-

There is nothing in the rules

in the order of seniority.

residence in New York.

Samoa and Tuvalu.

AFGHANISTAN PRESIDENT NAJIBULLAH

mid-30s, the former engineering student is the best known guerrilla leader and one of the few with enough understanding of military strategy and political mobilisation to make his "jihad" (holy war) rise above the level of a local struggle against the communists. He is widely seen as the commander who has had most success in co-ordinating strategy among guerrilla bands prone to fighting each other. A French speaker with a good sense for public relations, he has drawn many Western journalists to the Panisher to report on the fighting

Washington's diplomatic corps

at all. Actually, State Depart-

ment officials say, he has been

given another job back home and

is only accredited here on pany but who knows? We not call them up and tell them in

next in line. They might be

sufficiently attracted by the pres-

ton," said one US protocol

officer. He declined to be named

- it wouldn't be diplomatic, he

Etiquette

An official at the Western

Samoan mission in New York said no decision had been made

about the dean's post, and declined to discuss it further.

'It's not something you discuss

Prestige is a strong draw of the

job, which sometimes elevates lit-

tle-noticed countries to great

"The guide to diplomatic prac-tice," the 1917 manual by Sir

Ernest Satow which clues

protocol officers worldwide on

the mysteries of etiquette, des-

cribes the dean's post as "the mouthpiece of his colleagues on

diplomatic occasions, the defen-

der of privileges and immunities

publicly," she said.

prominence.

Masood, a Tajik, heads the

Council of the North, an alliance of guerrilla groups in the Hindu Kush and the farmlands near the Soviet border, and has a critical role to play in taking Kabul if no peace is agreed. His men have frequently closed the vital high-way through the Salang Pass along which the bulk of Soviet supplies must pass to reach Kabul. In January, Soviet and Afghan forces launched massive bombardments to lift Masood's latest blockade of the road to open it for the final Soviet depar-Tussle over next dean of

House every time a visiting head

of state comes to town; he sits on

the right of the president's wife or

the wife of the Secretary of State

ar of the figurations, he presents the office to see on behalf of the ambassadors at White House or

State Department receptions in

The dean also represents the

corps vis-a-vis the State Depart-

ment on collective problems of

immunity or waivers for cus-

toms, taxation, parking tickets

The deanship of Washington's

diplomatic corps has a history of

great stability. Nicaraguan Ambassador Guillermo Sevilla

Sacasa was dean from 1958 to

1979. His ouster came with the

overthrow of the late Nicaraguan strongman Anas-

tasio Somoza by the Sandinistas.

Replaced

He was replaced by Dobrynin,

who held the reins until he was

recalled to Moscow in 1986 to

become a secretary of the Com-

munist Party's Central Commit-

handing of the job from Dobrynin to Wachtmeister, for-

sions of the North Atlantic

Council meeting almost perman-

ently.
Wintex directors at NATO

headquarters play the "orange"

enemy forces, dictating develop-

ments in the scenario by injecting

new enemy action at every turn

that jerks the participants along a

France, outside NATO's

As the West reaches a point of

military structure, does not take

part. Greece also boycotts the

general alert, Galvin takes over

command of the national armies

of member states to direct defen-

Decisions would be made to

rush US forces to beleaguered

Europe by land and sea and take

pre-positioned stocks of hard-

Under NATO thinking, allied

forces manage to hold the line

until, faced with unacceptable

losses and exhausted firepower,

the Supreme Allied Commander

asks the political authorities to

right to "go nuclear" first, env-

isages selective use of a nuclear

weapon against a Warsaw Pact

military installation to show its

determination to escalate unless

NATO, which reserves the

release nuclear weapons.

invading forces withdraw.

ware out of mothballs.

ces — as he would in reality.

chain of events to war.

exercise.

At the ceremony marking the

and other bureaucratic affairs.

said. They said hundreds of people, mostly civilians, were killed.

Abdul Haq - the leading commander among the mujahedeen fighting around Kabul, Haq took up arms in his late teens and is now only about 30. A burly bearded Pashtun with a sharp mind, he has been active in organising civilians in the capital and caring for Kabuli refugees in Pakistan. "He says he is not politically ambitious. In this he lies, although I think this is the only lie he tells," said one. He is said to want to avoid a full-scale battle for Kabul, fearing a bloodbath, and has drawn up a plan to strangle the city until it falls. The main leaders based in Peshawar are:

Gulbuddin Hekmatyar -- his hawk-like, bearded face, blazing eyes and fundamentalist religious views often draw comparisons with the ayatollahs who steer revolutionary Iran, but Hekmatyar complains he is much maligned in the Western media. The most charismatic and controversial of the leaders of the seven political groups based in the Pakistani city of Peshawar, Hekmatyar heads the stronger of two factions of Hezb-i-Islami. A Pashtun from the north, his is the only party that cuts across Afghanistan's tribal barriers. Clash

the biggest and most disciplined of the mujahedeen groups fighting in Afghanistan but his critics say Hezb-i-Islami forces sometimes clash with other guerrillas. His close links with the Pakistani military intelligence, which funnels supplies to the guerrillas, has given his men some of the best weapons from the United States. But some experts think much of his following derives from his ability to supply arms and money and may diminish significantly if fighting stops. He seeks an Islamic go-vernment for Afghamstan, but not the Iranian all-pervading

He is credited with building

soft-spoken former Islamic law professor at Kabul University who heads the Jamiat-i-Islami Party. A Rajik from the north, he is considered to have wide support among his own people and from other Persian and Turkicspeaking minorities. His party is probably the biggest and has a strong presence across north and

west Afghanistan. Younis Khalis — head of the other faction of Hezb-i-Islami, who is about 70, wears a long henna-dyed beard and looks like a tough Pashtun warrior. He has strong support among the populous Pashtun tribes around Jalalabad and along the Pakistan-Afghan border but little elsewhere. Among his commanders is Abdul Haq, the best known commander in the Kabul area.

Sibghatuliah Mojaddidi -leader of the Afghan National Liberation Front and current head of the seven-party mujahedeen alliance based in Peshawar and counted among the more moderate elements. Another former theology professor at Kabul University, he comes from a prominent aris-tocratic family traditionally regarded as Kabul spiritual leaders. That is widely thought to give him significant support among Afghans. He also supports the return of exiled King Zahir Shah, by whom he was jailed in 1959, despite strong fundamentalist opposition.

Syed Ahmed Gailani hereditary spiritual leader who sold Peugeot cars in Kabul before the Soviet military intervention in 1979, he heads the National Islamic Front of Afghanistan and commands wide support among the three million refugees living in Pakistan. A Westernised man, who unlike other mujahedeen leaders often dresses in a suit, he has family in London and Washington who give him some of the best contacts in the West of any of the

# Afghan lesson for superpowers

istan, US observers say there is little cause to gloat and that both superpowers should ask themselves more carefully in future whether they have the stomach for "dirty little wars".

"There are sobering lessons for both Washington and Moscow here," Selig Harrison of the Washington-based Carnegie Endowment said. "And lest we forget Vietnam, the Russians are not grabbing helicopter skids as they go."
"There's embarrassment for

the Soviets, but they didn't get whipped. They decided the financial and propaganda costs were getting too high to stick around," said former US Defence Secretary Harold

> Learn and

political Military observers said in interviews that both superpowers should learn the following sobering lessons as Moscow ends its bloody Afghan involvement that began in 1979; • As in Vietnam, where US embassy employees fled from the roof in helicopters when Saigon fell to the communists in April 1975, the superpowers must decide more carefully in the future whether they have the stomach for "dirty little wars." High-technology arms, such as the US-supplied Stinger anti-aircraft missiles used by the Afghan rebels, have made it difficult for modern armies to quash guerrillas of the right or left, especially in Third World

nations where underdogs are

used to the poverty and hardship By Charles Aldinger ... to that about play war has to WASHINGTON TO THE TOTAL TOTAL TO THE TOTAL THE

guerrillas, there is no guarantee that religious fundamentalists who take over will commit them selves to close relations with either superpower.

The Soviets now know that unlike Eastern Europe, some people are not educated enough to accept the premise that it's 'better red than dead'." said the last US Ambassador to South Vietnam, Graham Martin. Losses

Martin, who left Saigon in a helicopter with the folded US flag in his lap, said Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev had simply decided to cut Moscow's losses. 'It's not a matter of morals in

this case. It's geopolitics," he told Reuters by telephone from his home in Winston Salem, North Carolina.

In a frank analysis of what he called the "Afghan lesson", one senior US defence official said the pull-out would probably lead to moves to contain superpower flashpoints around the world.

"I think you'll see more cooperation on Central and South America. The Soviets are already starting to stress politics over muscle in going for the trade money in Southeast Asia," said the official, who asked not to be identified.

Other private and Pentagon analysts said the United States should note the success of Central Intelligence Agency-supplied weapons to the Afghan guerrillas. They said the shoul-der-fired Stingers kept the Soviet Army from dominating the air.

# **TODAY IN HISTORY**

Italy. 1578 — Duke of Anjou, with French Army, invades southern Netherlands.

1797 - Pope Pius VI, by treaty of Tolentino, cedes the

aparte advances through Tyrol to Vienna.

1803 - Act of mediation is passed in Switzerland, under which cantons regain independence. 1807 — British fleet forces way through Dardanelles to support

Russia in war against Turkey.

1927 — Chinese Nationalists extract from Britain reduction of

World War II. 1959 - Agreement is signed in London by Greece, Turkey and Britain for independence of Cyprus.

1963 — US President John F. Kennedy says Soviet Union has

1988 - Bomb shatters crowded bank office in Windhoek,

# 1499 - Florence joins French alliance for partition of Milan in

1618 - Peace of Madrid is ratified, ending war between Venice

1674 - Treaty of Westminster, whereby British withdraw from

Romagna, Bologna and Ferrara to France, as Napoleon Bon-

1924 - Shah Ahmad of Persia is deposed.

concessions at Hankow and Kinkiang.

1945 — US forces begin invasion of Iwo Jima in Pacific in

agreed to withdraw several thousands of its troops from Cuba by March 15.

South Africa, killing 14 people and injuring 31.

#### mer Secretary of State George of the diplomatic corps from Shultz joked that it was the first sador, Ionatana Ionatana, case in modern history of a comdoesn't live in Washington injuries or encroachments." munist handing over power to a either. As a matter of fact, he In fact, the dean represents the diplomatic corps at the White doesn't live in the United States count. NATO gears up for table-top war with Moscow

By Richard Balmforth

BRUSSELS, (Reuter): It may start with a crisis in the Soviet bloc and end with NATO rolling out its nuclear weapons against the Warsaw Pact. When it's all over, Western officials go home, well satisfied with the lessons they have learnt. It is completely fictitious, and

not a shot will be fired in real life. The "war" is the 10th Wintex-Cimex, a table-top North Atlantic Treaty Organisation exercise to test decision-making within the 16-nation alliance as conflict approaches.

Thrusting thoughts of East-West arms cuts firmly into the background, thousands of officials from 14 allied countries will act through the roles that fate could hand them in the

build-up to world war three. For two weeks from Feb 24. they will play out an imaginary scenario directed from NATO headquarters in Brussels that will propel them inexorably into bat-

will mostly act the roles of Western leaders. Exercise But officials said that at some stage many actual leaders. including Britain's Margaret

Thatcher and West German

Chancellor Helmut Kohl, would

be brought in to the exercise to

In national capitals, stand-ins

make the executive decisions that would face them on the day.

The paper exercise, which involves no troops, ends on March — ironically just as real-

life talks get under way in Vienna to reduce the firepower of Europe's standing armies. NATO officials reject suggestions that the timing is unfortun-ate or that holding Wintex is out

of spirit with the new East-West climate. "This is a nuts and bolts exercise, the sort that NATO has to

have if it is to have a credible defence." one said. For those participating in Wintex, which is held every two years, it means two weeks of erratic shift-work, late-night calls and round-the-clock crisis

meetings. On past form, senior officials in NATO's front-line state West Germany will form a mock wartime cabinet and move into an underground bunker.

Mobilise

Armed forces chiefs in national capitals and Supreme Allied Commander Europe John Galvin at his headquarters in Mons. southern Belgium, go through procedures to mobilise "blue" forces and bring in reinforcements as confrontation looms.

Officials refuse to discuss the pre-scripted scenario or the origins of the fictional crisis that leads to war.

ario with no relation to present events," an alliance spokesman A NATO insider put it more bluntly. "There's some foul-up in Eastern Europe. Both sides face

NATO's military strategy -fails and the Warsaw Pact, undaunted by the West's military Smokescreen A big concern of NATO is that

Deterrence - the bedrock of

give Moscow valuable mobilisa-

course of action.
At NATO headquarters, crisis grows.

National governments hold

"It is a purely procedural exersimulated emergency cabinet meetings. At NATO headquarcise based on a hypothetical scenters, Secretary-General Manfred Woerner presides over mock ses-

off and then go to war."
The exercise may, for instance, start with a diplomatic incident that rapidly mushrooms into

might, launches a land offensive against Western Europe. in a real-life crisis the Kremlin might throw up a smokescreen of contradictory political signals that would confuse the allies and

tion time. Officials say the exercise is aimed at testing "command, control and consultation procedures"—in other words, it examines how quickly the allies wake up to what is happening and manage to agree on the right

diplomatic delegations man telephone hotlines to their political leaders back home. Message traffic flows thick and fast as the

# SNIPPETS

# Ex-soldiers behind drug syndicate, say pushers

A BIG TIME syndicate led by dismissed soldiers are engaged in the distribution of prohibited drugs in Metro Manila, Pasay

City police said recently.
Capt. Gaudencio Cordora, chief of the intelligence and special operations group (ISOG), said two suspected drug pushers who were arrested had tagged former Narcotics Command agents as their supplier of shabu (synthetic cocame) and

The two suspected drug pushers were identified as Wilfredo David, 30 and Rufino Bucal, 37, both of Pasay City, in a

"buy-bust" operation.
Earlier, three other suspected drug pushers who were arrested, also pointed on an ex-NAR-COM agent as their drug sup-

### Filipino war veterans fight for **US** naturalisation

SEVERAL American legislators have given assurances that they will support the bill now pending in the US Congress calling for the US naturalisation of Filipino World War II veterans, most of whom are now in their twilight years, have been fighting for US naturalisation so that they could avail of all the benefits given by the US government to their American comrade-in arms. The vets have high hopes that this measure will be approved this

### Ambassador to West Germany sacked

FOREIGN Affairs Secretary Raul Manglapus confirmed the relief by President Aquino of Augusto Cesar Espiritu, Philippine ambassador to Bonn, West

He said it is not his function to question the President's

den relief of Espiritu and his return to the Department of Portellor Affair Spiral his office before Feb. 20 was made in during a closed-door session with officials of the Commission on Appointments (CA) committee on foreign affairs led by Rep. Antonio Cuenco.

The CA officially received the nomination of Narcisa Escaler as ambassador to Geneva, Switzerland.

The Cuenco committee, however, has not yet taken cognizance of her case as she still has to complete the submission of documents required in the confirmation process.

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Sources, however, said Espiritu was pulled out after criticising the human rights performance of the Aquino admin-

# Bill filed to stop legislators from gambling

A BILL banning solons from entering and playing in casinos was filed yesterday by North Congressman Cotabato Gregorio Andolana.

Andolana said he sponsored the measure following reports that several elective officials have been losing thousands and ever millions of pesos in casinos.

"In these times of economic want, such waste of money becomes highly immoral, Andolana said.

# Cabinet to discuss Marcoses return

By Cesar M. Espino

PRESIDENT Aquino has said that she will convene the Cabinet crisis committee this week to finalise the government's position on whether or not to allow former President Marcos to return.

The President's decision to convene the committee is an apparent response to a call to convene the National Security Council to decide the matter. The opposition, under the Constitution, is represented in the NSC. In related developments:

• Marcos remained in guarded condition in Honolulu's St. Francis Medical Centre.

 The Bishops-Businessmen's Conference said in a statement that Marcos should not be allowed to return.

Representatives Victorico
Chavez and Raul Roco filed a
resolution expressing the "firm" sentiment of the House against Marcos' return.

● More than 1,000 Marcos loyalists marched to the embassy to demand the return of their ousted leader.

Aquino told newsmen Defence Secretary Fidel V. Ramos, a key member of the Cabinet crisis committee, had asked her for the meeting early last January - about the time news of Marcos' failing health

broke out. The committee will decide whether or not to adopt the Napoleonic solution which was recommended by the Cabinet

"TELL your relatives to stop

pestering me for money," this, opposition Sen. Juan Ponce

Enrile said was one of deposed

President Marcos' "secret mes-sages" to President Aquino

relayed through Vice-President

Enrile told reporters he talked

"Pinasasabi ni Marcos na pag-

to Laurel who disclosed one of

sabihan naman daw ni President

Aquino 'yung mga ka-mag-anak

niya na huwag nang pepestehin si Marcos tungkol sa pera (Marcos requested that President Aquino

instruct her relatives to stop pes-

tering Marcos about money),' Enrile quoted Laurel as saying.

Marcos reportedly made it clear to Laurel that he was not

his appeal to them to examine

Marcos in Hawaii and determine

the former strongman's condi-

Cleared

"I was told by the vice-president that the trip was

cleared by Malacanang. I was

able to talk by phone to Health Secretary Alfredo Bengzon.

while waiting at the airport. It

was then that I learned that the

proposed trip was not officially

sanctioned by Malacanang," Dr

Filoteo Alano, executive director

of the Kidney Institute of the

Philippines said in a press

Alano said he and Dr Simon

Sawit, resident cardiologist at

the Philippine Heart Centre for

Asia, were requested by Laurel to

go to Honolulu to examine Mar-

cos' condition and "report to

him and President Aquino upon

mission was with the knowledge of Malacanang," Alano said.

"some misrepresentation was used to convince us to accept the

assignment in the first place."
Alano said he and Sawit opted

not to proceed with the trip alth-

ough they were told by Bengzon

that they could in their capacity

as private physicians.

It turned out, however, that

"We only agreed to go if the

amenable to any of the deals sup-posedly proposed by presidential relatives "for his return to the

Country, Enrile said

Meanwhile ... Iwo. Filipino stressor and physicians accused Laurel of

"misrepresenting

Marcos' messages to Aquino.

Salvador Laurel.

reportedly

cluster on political affairs and reportedly approved by the

Local Government Secretary Luis Santos and Cabinet Secretary Jose de Jesus said the measure was among several options studied by the cluster.

The said the Napoleonic solution — where Marcos would be allowed to return 19 years after his death - was deemed by the cluster members as the one that would best serve the interest of

But although the Napoleonic solution has been approved by the President, according to San-tos and De Jesus, this will have to be covered by an executive order to make it official.

In Honolulu, a Marcos lawyer said his client's health is too fragile to let disputes over billions of dollars delay his

return to his country.

Lawyer Richard Hibey also confirmed that he and defence attorney John Bartko met with a representative of Aquino in San

Enrile reveals Marcos'

secret message to Cory

LISTEN ... DO YOU I

WANT TO KNOW A SECRET ... I

CHOO-CHOO WAAS

Hot goods seized

A SHIPMENT containing

assorted motorcycle parts and

accessories valued at P3 million

was intercepted in Manila by

agents of the Economic

Intelligence and Investigation

Bureau (EIIB) for gross misde-

In a report to EIIB Commissioner Jose T. Almonte, Augusto

V. Venturina, special operations group (SOG) chief, said the ship-

ment in a 20-foot van was

released from the South Harbour

Venturina said: "What seems

to be correct in the documents

and other release papers so far

were the dates, the name of the

importer, and the country of

origin."
He said the commodity clas-

authorities for the shipment

machinery

implements.

and tractor

in the guise of "tractor parts."

claration and misclassification.

they refused to make monetary offers in exchange for Marcos'

He also said the Manila government "has got to come to grips with the fact that it's never going to see Mr Marcos in court.

On the chance of a plea bargain with the US on the racketeering charges against Marcos, Hibey said they were "slim because Mr Marcos would never

plead guilty to anything."
In its statement the BishopsBusinessmen's Conference on Human Development said leftand right-wing extremists would exploit Marcos' return to further divide the country.
"There is a serious risk,

therefore, that the return of former President Marcos, alive or dead, will be used by these forces to set back the hard-won accomplishments of the past three years," the statement said.

In their resolution, Chavez and Roco said the return of Mar-cos would be used by "political elements determined to bring down the government" as an occasion for fomenting unrest

and creating chaos.

Earlier, Speaker Ramon V. Mitra called on the President to inform her of the House's sentiment against Marcos' return.

Aquino also said that Mateo Caparas, chairman of the Presidential Commission on Good Government was in New York to look into the disposal of Philippine property there.

# POEA warning on

exorbitant fees

# Deployment of Filipino domestics to Hong Kong may stop

THE deployment of Filipino domestic helpers in Hong Kong might be suspended if local recruitment agencies continue to ask exorbitant placement fees from applicants, Philippine Overseas Employment Administration (POEA) administrator Tomas Achacoso warned.

Achacoso said the POEA is studying the possibility of suspending the deployment because of reports that many local applicants to pay fees higher than the prescribed ones.

The legal placement fee is only P5,000 but agencies ask for P15,000 to P20,000 per applicant, Achacoso said. The required P5,000 includes processing, medical and trade

tests and passport fees, he explained. When confronted by POEA. the agencies claimed they were forced to charge fees because Hong Kong agencies demand loyalty fees of P5,000 from each

applicant, Achaeoso said. To facilitate the immediate departure of workers, agencies sometimes ask th workers to shoulder their own plane fares, which should not be the case,

Achacoso said. About 30,000 Filipinos are working in Hong Kong who may have paid the exorbitant P15,000 to P20,000 placement fees to their recruiters, Achacoso said. They earn about HK\$2,500 a month or its equivalent of

Pumapayag naman sila dahil para sa kanila ang P20,000 ay kikicain din nila in three of four months time," Achacoso said. Suspension of the deployment

sification codes used by customs is Hong Kong might stop Hong applies only to agricultural Kong and local agencies from taking advantage of the domestics, he added.

#### Congress, human rights activists and US officials are troubled by

reports of human rights abuse in "Many local officials and the the Philippines despite the Aquino administration's policy strongly upholding such rights. The problem occupied most of a three-hour hearing last week of a House of Representatives' appropriations subcommittee. Several witnesses echoed the findings on the Philippines in the State Department's report to

rights around the world. for immediate problems." The department said extremist violence, faulty law enforcement and ineffective courts caused some deterioration of the human rights situation despite the central government's commitment

"Ms Aquino's government may try to pull the levers but the levers aren't tied to anything at

Congress this week on human

violations occur, said subcommittee chairman David R. Obey.

over human rights abuses

US Congress concerned

Aid package threatened

local power structure are still left over from the Marcos era. I continue to have tremendous admiration for her (Ms Aquino) but there is a question whether she is going to get the kind of co-operation she needs," Obey continued. "The Filipino politicians seem to be more in pursuit of their own future political ambitions than with specific solutions

Obey said it could be difficult to maintain existing levels of US aid to the Philippines in a situation where military officials appear to be undermining Aquino's commitment to human rights by backing vigilante organisations in the struggle against communist insurgency. US military aid is scheduled to rise from \$85 million a year to \$200 million under the agreement concluded last year for US use of military bases in the Philippines through 1991.

Rights activists said President Ronald Reagan's administration played down the growing human rights problem and they urged the new administration of President George Bush to give it more attention.

"Expressions of concern should be conveyed to Philippine officials as forcefully s possible. testified attorney James Ross of the Asia programme of the US Lawyers Committee for Human Rights, a private group, "Alth-ough Aquino has reiterated her commitment, her administration has been unable to translate public concern to public policy. The military has been able to stay successfully shielded from inves-

# Comic book culture should be monitored

can conceive and his artists can

portray. The deeds of their

heroes are at once the greatest

and most impossible. It is proba-

bly correct to say that the world

of the comics is a world of pure

Assuming that most of the

readers are young people, are they learning or admiring and,

perhaps imitating characters

who exemplify courage, decency.

honesty, compassion and patriotism? Or are their available

heroes just simple roughnecks,

uneducated and untamed who

do not distinguish between right

and wrong and prevail only by sheer brute force? Or perhaps the

lives of such dubious folk heroes

as Honasan and Alih are so

glorified that their fans ache to

square themselves with society in

the service of these fractured and

Are the legitimate and genuine

leaders and heroes of the day

being presented to the young in a

matter that leads them to become

decent citizens aware of what is

wrong and what is correct under

And what about the adults

among the comics readers? It

may be presumed that they are

literate only in the dialects and

hardly read nothing else except

magazines of fiction, if at all. The

frustrated heroes?

By Vicente Albano Pacis

AT the close of the year 1988, it was found that 12.5 millioncomic books are read in this country a week. The total circulation of the Manila and provincial dailies barely reaches two million copies. Considering that a comic book has at least a whole week of life while a daily's life is only 24 hours, we may safely assume that at least 10 people read each comic book but only five read each daily. Thus there are likely to be 125 million who regularly read comics against 10 million who read newspapers.

If this is so, then we are justified in saying that our culture is dominated by comic books. Is there anyone in authority who can tell us what the contents of these comic books are?

It is not implied that the dailies contents are thoroughly educational, elevating and lofty. They are not above pornography, especially in their columns. But at least some of them deserve to be called decent, edifying, and informative. They also regularly carry advertisements, and the commercial houses who pay for them would stop patronizing them if they ceased to be decent enough media of information.

From what we know of comics in general, it would be safe to assume that the comic books purvey in cartoons stories mostly fanciful or supernatural. In imitation of the original superman strips, American as well as Filipino comics are peopled by characters who can accomplish any feat of strength, movement or speed or produce arms.

AFTER she won the grand prize

in the talent search programme,

Ang Bagong Kampeon in 1984,

the doors of the entertainment

music industry opened for

However, even when she star-

ted singing professionally in

1985, many people insisted that she was just lip-synching the songs of an established perfor-

mer. The confusion was under-

standable since Regine's voice is

really different from the usual

untextured voices which young

The voice is truly hers. Proof of

this are the 67 trophies and 50

medals which she got by tirelessly

joining singing contests in the province of Bulacan, where the

Velasquezes are based. "Pero hindi naman la hat 'yon first

prize, Regine humbly says.

"Maryo"n ding silver and bronze

Didith Reyes' Bakit Ako

medals and runner-up trophies."

Regine Velasquez.

entertainers have.

dailies, even in the vernaculars, do not interest them. Are these marginal literates afforded an environment of literature that educates them to become lawabiding citizens?

If the comic books have nothing educational and elevating in their pages, it is a pity. They are the literary home of more Filipino readers than those who patronize the daily newspapers.

In case the comic books do not provide them a reading fare balanced by the knowledge of what is going on in the political and economic arenas that enables them to lead the life of fairly good citizens in a democracy. then we are missing an opportunity to improve their reading fare so that they may learn better

citizenship. To be sure, in a democracy, there is no previous censorship. Anyone can print any nonsense and foolishness, and libelous and indecent material without previous censorship. It is also true that anyone who prints what is unlawful or injurious to men and society can be prosecuted under the law and sent to jail if guilty.

But no one with any qualification is policing the comics regularly except the Catholic Mass Media Awards at awards time. They seem to be otherwise terra incognita to the official and unofficial guardians of morals and law. What they portray or print and their very realm and domain are exclusively their own. It is not that they may be inherently foreign to law and order, decency and morals. But the absence of any monitoring among them may create the opportunity to transgress in one

way or another. We suggest that a commission be created to look into the operation of journalism in every level and sector in relation to their functions and practices in a democratic society, compile its findings and formulate and recommend a code of ethical conduct for the print and electronic media and the "underground world" of comics and pamphleteering.

Regine: a charmer from Bulacan

Mahihiya became the key for winning since it was the song. which gave Regine all her awards as an amateur performer. "Sa amin noon," pag alam mong kantahin ang mga songs nila Didith, Eva Eugenio or Imelda Papin, sosyal ka na," Regine smiles, revealing that the other two singers are also her idols. "Wala pa kasi noon si Kuh Ledesma," she reasons. "Pero nang sumikat na si Kuh, ang kinakanta ko na, Dito Ba. I bought all her records. ginagaya ko pa ang voice niya."

This charmer from Bulacan has obviously come a long way since her amateur singing days and her Bagong Kampeon experience. More recently, she invaded the big screen via The Untouchable Family, under Viva Films. Her second movie, Pik, Pak, Boom, was shown at the Metro Manila Film Festival last December.

However, Regine prefers to concentrate on her singing career. "As for the movies, the money is good, but I want to really establish myself first as a singer," she says. "Maadali nang mag-concentrate sa films later, para bang si Zsa Zsa?" At 18. Regine has given

schooling a back seat to her showbiz career. But she is not wasting time. If her schedule permits, next schoolyear, she plans to pursue a college degree and take up Fine Arts or Music.

# FLASSIK Nightingales spread message of love

Florante Malveda, confined at

the Mubarak Al Kabeer Hosp-

ital with meningitis and Angelita

Pagay, who underwent the

removal of a right kidney.

A farewell party for a Filipina

forensic patient, who has been

confined at the Hospital for Psy-

chological Medicine, was well attended by other Filipino

patients and the residents of the

ward where she has been staying

during the last two years for men-

tal hygiene treatment.

Alano, a relative of former

Speaker Jose Laurel's spokes-man, Tony Alano, denied

reports that Bengzon dis-

couraged him and Sawit from

proceeding with the trip because

they would be doing "a disservice

Audience

Shortly upon his arrival in the Philippines. Laurel sought a private audience with Aquino so

he could relay messages from the

ousted ruler who was reportedly

The President, however rejec-

Enrile said Marcos' request

that Aquino "instruct her

relatives not to bother Marcos

about money matters "may have

meant that "baka may humihingi

ng pera kay Marcos (somebody

may have been asking money

He did not elaborate.

ted Laurel's proposal, saying

Marcos' messages should be

to the country."

near death.

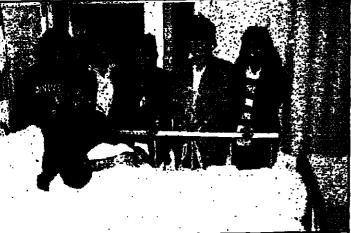
made public.

from Marcos)."

AFTER the very successful Valentine extravaganza held at the Holiday Inn on Friday, Feb 10, the indefatigable officers, members and friends of FLAS-SIK went to various hospitals to spread its own message of love to Filipino patients confined in various hospitals in Kuwait.

Needless to say these patients do not have families here in this country and rely on the generous

support of other Filipinos to help



FLASSIK Nightingales, (left to right) Grace, Shirley, Esther, Connic and Pat visit patient Maribel at the Kuwait Cancer Control Centre.

meet some of their needs.

It should be remembered that when the Nightingale's team led by FLASSIK president Grace Fe N. Covarrubias launched their candidacy for FLASSIK's different offices they promised an assistance network that would reach out to the different governorates in Kuwait. Those visited upon were

FLASSIK also presented gift certificates to Zeny Tomas, confined at Al Adan Hospital due to a cranial operation. She will be leaving Kuwait next month since her illness prevents her from working further. The gift certificates were generously given by Al Bulbul Supermarkets and

Ambassador Stores. Another patient visited was Maribel, confined at the Kuwait Cancer Control Centre, radiotherapy unit, whose fondest dream is to join her family in the Philipnines soon.

Aside from distributing

material gifts, FLASSIK brings

along team members qualified in

giving supportive interaction and psychotherapy to the hospitalized patients.

FLASSIX invites referrals through their officers and hospital co-ordinators:
Coanie Uly at Al Razi Hospital, tel. 4843601; Chary Neposuceno at Amiri Hospital, tel. 5624509; Shirley Eding, Pai Lupas and Venule Garcia at Maternity Hospital, tel. 4812348/481546; Susan Balatayo and Anita Caber Paras at the Hospital for Psychological Medicine, tel. 4843900 ext. 240/257; Marylin Inductivo, tel. 3940600 ext. 2282 and Tess Balderas,

tel. 3940600 ext. 4521 at the Al Adam Hospitals, Eva Sabay at the Jahra Hospital on tel. 4572549; Sylvia Binarao, tel. 4818339; Gay Obnean and Junjing Basilia, tel. 4810453 at the Kawait Cancer Control

Arlene Argamino, tel. 4843158 and Gilda Navarro, tel. 4888000 ext. 143 at the Far-wantya Hospital; Evelya Dunga and Merite Samin at the Mubarak Al Kaber Hospital. The chairperson for the 'hospital outreach-programme' is Exther B. Madamba, tel. 6213700 et 2446 RF



Gift certificates were presented to Zeny Tomas (with cap) at Al Adan hospital. She will be leaving Kuwait shortly as illness prevents her from working any further.



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New slogan for the Bible

# 'Easier to digest than tablets'

INTHE beginning was the word, and the word was hype. A new paperback, an epic story of passion and power, money and murder, with a cover depicting the Manhattan skyline at sunset, is being promoted three weeks before its launch as the World's Greatest Book.

Posters have been printed for the Underground and bus shelters. Airport bookstalls and station newsagents have placed unusually large orders for the new blockbuster.

"It's the kind of campaign we would only give our top authors, such as Jeffrey Archer or John Le Carre," Mis Julia Young, Hodder and Stoughton's publicity director, explained.

We put the skyscrapers in yellow and orange on the cover to give it an international flavour. It looks like the kind of book you would pick up to read on the Tube."

The New International Version of the Bible has been the best-selling modern English translation since 1979, but its relaunch and repackaging on March 2 includes revisions designed to slot Jesus Christ between

The new international version of the Bible, is being subjected to the greatest marketing campaign ever including revisions designed to slot Jesus Christ between Jackie Collins and Jilly Cooper on the bookshelves.

Jackie Collins and Jilly Cooper on the bookshelves.

For a start the title has changed. "It's just called The Bible now — we dropped the word 'Holy' to give it a more mass-market appeal," Miss Young explained.

Preceding the text, which resembles a modern novel with chapter headings, the guide to Well Known Events in the Bible includes Creation and The First

The reason for the greatest story ever told being subjected to the greatest marketing campaign Saatchi and Saatchi and Hodder and Stoughton could devise over 18 months, is the discovery that the New International Version is underselling to a major market sector - agnostics.

According to the publishers the agnostic market, a substantial one in Britain, tends to buy the Authorised Version instead. The sales drive, backed by a

press and poster campaign carrying the slogan "Easier to digest than the tablets", aims to persuade the reader that, as the publishers say, "the Bible can be read like a novel, with something for everyone".

Hodder and Stoughton rejects the idea that the packaging detracts from the reverence in which the Bible is held. "Quite the opposite. The general view is that the Bible is written in 17th Century English, and is a book for the past. This is giving it a modern relevance," said Miss

Young.

Dick Douglas, the company's editorial manager for the Bible. who has joined Hodder and Stoughton after 14 years supervising Bible production at the Oxford University Press, said he



The front cover of the book. The word 'holy' has been drop-

did not believe popularising the Bible could alienate or offend. "There's no dreadfully down market language, it's not trendy, indeed it has a high literary quality," he said. "Anyway, the traditional appearance of the Bible wrapped in black leather can be a positive deterrent to the

# Next sheriff of Nottingham is black

Tony Robinson, a 68-year-old retired bus driver from Jamaica will be the next Sheriff of Nottingham, relentless pursuer of the legendary Robin Hood.

By James Golden

THE next Sheriff of Nottingham, heir to the legendary pursuer of Robin Hood, is to be a

Jamaican-born pensioner. And as a socialist, he says he feels closer to Robin than to his predecessor.

Tony Robinson, a 68-year-old retired bus driver, will be the first black holder of the ancient office. He will be a roving ambassador, putting on ceremonial robes and a cocked hat to keep alive the city's association with Robin Hood and encourage tourism.

He says "I'm delighted. The story of Robin Hood is something I was taught about as a little lad at school in Jamaica. I had dreams as a boy but never about achieving this. It's a great hon-

Confident

In Robin Hood's time, late in

the 12th century, the Sheriff was a law officer and tax collector to

Robinson said: "I know of the sheriff's reputation and he was by all accounts a bad man. That. fortunately, has all changed but as Robin Hood robbed the rich to help the poor, as a good socialist I think I have more in common with him.'

He says he is confident that the public image of the sheriff being a white man won't be too much of a hurdle, 'I don't think there will be any problems — I haven't experienced any since I came to Britain, he said.

A tailor's son, one of seven children born in Jamaica, Robinson spent the war years in America, working on farms and in foundries.

In 1960 he left Jamaica again, still looking for work, and came to Britain where he met his wife



The new sheriff of Nottingham, meets Robin Hood.

Beryl, who is white. Now he has four grandchildren, is city councillor and vice-chairman of Nottingham Community Race Relations Council. He was chosen as sheriff by the controlling labour group.

"This is a great achievement for the black community, something they are going to be proud of, he said. We preach equal opportunity for all and this proves it. I look upon my role as one of promoting Nottingham as much as I can in the field of

tourism. I want to visit schools and hospitals as well.

The Lord Mayor's secretary, David Taylor, said: "The sheriff is an ambassador for the city. He greets tourists, particularly Americans, who like to meet the official association with the legend. As sheriff he can travel all over the world promoting the city. If we abolished what is a ceremonial role, there would be a worldwide outery."

The appointment, held for a year, will be confirmed in May.

# Barbie doll turns 30; trendier and richer

By George Garties

HAWTHORNE, California, (AP): Barbie turns 30 this year, and the phenomenally successful fashion doll is trendier and richer

For her 30th anniversary party at the New York State Theatre, her maker, Mattel Inc., plans to deck her out in a dazzling pink ensemble dotted with silver stars, including earrings, a ring and stars in her eyes.

Barbie was America's No.2 selling toy in 1988, behind Japan's Nintendo games, according to Toy and Hobby World magazine.

Twenty million Barbies plus a range of companion dolls and accouterments were sold last year, bringing Mattel \$450 million in revenues, said spokeswoman Candice Irving.

The company figures it has sold 500 million dolls in the Bar-

bie line in the last 30 years, and that its market share among girls from ages four to 10 approaches

90 per cent That tops the number of young boys who own one of Barbie's male counterparts, G.I.Joe, who this year, celebrates 25 years on store shelves.

More than 95 per cent of the young boys recently surveyed by its maker, Hasbro Inc., said they knew who G.I.Joe is. Two out of three said they own one, said Wayne Charness, spokesman for the New Jersey-based company that makes the 3 3-4 inch (9.5 centimetre-) tall plastic good

Though G.I.Joe has shrunk nearly eight inches (20 centimetres) since his birth in 1964, the mighty plastic fighting doll's popularity remains as widespread and strong as any beloved tradition.

The soldier, sailor, and pilot figures have earned Hasbro \$16.9 million and generated about \$1.2 million in retail sales since their first year, Charness

G.I.Joe rates 11 spots lower than Barbie on the magazine's toy hit parade. Hasbro plans to celebrate his 25 years quietly during the 1989 toy fair.

The Barbie gala has been billed as an anniversary rather than a birthday, as Barbie hasn't a specific age. She's always been a "young adult," Irving says.

Despite the Ferrari and the magic hair that changes colour in the sun, this year's Barbie is little different from the 11.5-inch-(29.2-centimetre-) tall doll that debuted at the same toy fair in March 1959. She sold for about \$3 then, compared with an average \$10 now, depending on

Even G.I.Joe doesn't match that. The older, taller action

figures sold for about \$5 and are now collector's items. His descendents cost about \$3 for any of the 34 figures that include blacks, Asians, hispanics and women.

Barbie has gone through many updates, but her essential character hasn't changed. "She's always contemporary, she's always wearing the fashions

of the day," said Irving. Hasbro took a different tact with G.I.Joe. In 1980, at the urging of loyal fans, Hasbro shrank him, partly to resemble other successful shorter dolls, Charness said.

"He's constantly changing. He constantly stays fresh in the minds of G.I.Joe's fan," Charness said, explaining that Hasbro changes 50 per cent of the lines every year. Toy industry analysts agree

G.I.Joe's popularity comes from his changing line. "You want to keep the line

fresh," said David Leibowitz of American Securities in New York.

But as the dolls' makers adjust to business and social trends, complaints also roll in.

"(Barbie) protrays a woman as basically, I think, an airhead," says Gloria Allred, a Los Angeles attorney who has made her name battling sex discrimination in the

"They sell a home for Barbie, but I don't think they sell factories or offices or even an institution of higher learning," said

"There's nothing wrong with a fantasy, but I think it's important that young girls begin to have aspirations," Allred said. Barbie's spokeswoman, Irv-

ing, said she's always been a career woman, starting right in 1959 as a teen-age fashion model and including nurse, fashion editor, Olympic athlete and business executive.

# A rose by any other name...

By Audrey Woods

LONDON, (AP): Christian Dior, Anna Pavlova and the Empress Josephine found immortality in the rose garden, but the honour for ordinary people of having a rose named after them requires luck and lots of money.

For centuries, rose breeders have been naming new varieties in honour of the heroic, the beautiful, the famous - not to mention designers, dancers and royalty. It costs up to 35,000 pounds (62,000 dollars) to buy the right to name a rose, says Terry Kenwright, vice-president of the British Association of Rose Breeders.

It can take as long as 15 years to develop a new rose, Kenwright explained, and 'breeders are businessmen. They want some reward for

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their effort."

It can take as long as 15 years to develop a new rose, Kenwright explained, and "breeders are businessmen. They want some reward for

their effort." Britain's 17 professional breeders introduce an average of only 35 new varieties each year, and only a fraction of those are available for private

Newspapers, charities and big businesses have their roses. The Everest double fragrance is named after a storm window

One of the odest and most famous cultivated roses is the fragile pink flower the French call Cuisse de Nymphe --- Nymph's thigh. The British, who have grown it for 500 years, prefer to call it Great Maiden's

A flower named for a factory may smell as sweet, but would it so perfectly evoke the silken

cheek of youth?

In the depths of winter, a rose catalogue with its mysterious and seductive names offers a promise of spring: eglantine, celestial and rose d'amour, Nur Mahai, the Black Prince and the splendid crimson Cardinal De Richelieu.

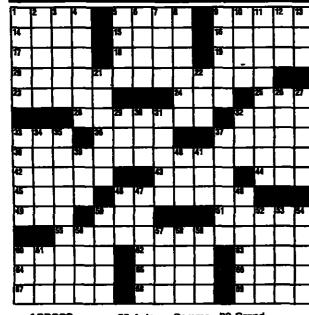
Even Rosa Horrida, described in one catalogue as "a strange, gooseberry-like bush" from the 18th century, appeals to the curious. One of history's greatest rose

lovers, Napoleon's Empress Josephine, grew every known rose of the day at Maimaison chateau and is honoured still by the pale pink souvenir De La Malmaison.

The unfortunate atom bomb, repeatedly quite a nice red-rose, never caught on and disappeared from the catalogues soon after its introduction in 1954.

By Johnny Hart

# TODAY'S CROSSWORD



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**GOREN BRIDGE** 

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF WEEKLY BRIDGE OUIZ

Q.1—As South, vulnerable, you hold: ♦ AKJ3 **≜AKQ**6 ♥95 The bidding has proceeded: South West North East

1 ♥ Pass

Pass What do you bid now?

1 ◊

Q.2—As South, vulnerable, you hold: **≜KJ63 ⊽A106 ◊AKJ5 ♠87** What is your opening bid?

Q.3—As South, vulnerable, you hold: **≜KQ73** ♥A106 ♦AKJ5 **♣87** The bidding has proceeded: West North East South 1 NT Pass 2 ♠ Pass

What action do you take?

Q.4—Neither vulnerable, as South

you hold: **♠KQ73** ♥A106 ♦AKJ5 ♠87 The bidding has proceeded: South West North East 1 NT Pass 3 ♠

What do you bid now?

Q.5—Both vulnerable, as South you hold: **♦95** ♥KO73 ♦AKJ5 **♦**AJ6 The bidding has proceeded: West North East 1 NT Pass 2 🖢

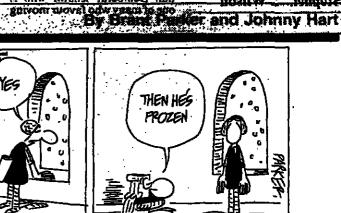
What action do you take?

Q.6-Both vulnerable, as South you hold; ♥AQ42 ♦AK63 ♠J94 **±83** The bidding has proceeded: North East South West 2 🛊 What action do you take?

# THE WIZARD OF ID











# YOUR STARS



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Aries (March 20 - April 18)

The Moon's better influence will help you to come to the right conclusion. You should not try to have everything your own way. Listen also to what others are saying. Be



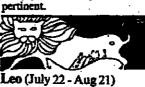
Try not to get into an argument and if you do not become too personally involved. There is nothing to feel superior about, so don't. Try to show a little more goodwill towards others. Be reliable.



You will be better able to adapt to the circumstances. However. that does not mean you should compromise. 5 and 24 are your lucky numbers. Make sure you do not put on weight. Be loyal.



The Sun's good influence coupled with that of Mars and Jupiter will help you to be more independent. You will be able to cope with an abiding personal problem. Take really good care of your health. Be

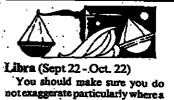


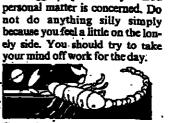
The Moon's better influence will help you to stick by your principles. You may well have some good luck but do not rely upon it. Use just a

little more commonsense. Be gen-



Virgo (Aug 22 - Sept 21) Your health will not be as good you would like but worry alone will not make you healthy. You should try not to allow yourself to be invaded by doubts. You will get support from an unexpected quar-

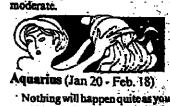




Scorpio (Oct 23 - Nov. 21) You will be able to spend the day in amenable company. The Sun's less good influence will tend to engender a certain degree of restlessness. You should do all you can to avoid losing your temper. Be selec-



Sagittarius (Nov 22 - Dec 21 Try hard to think more positively. You will not feel quite at ease and should avoid a touchy subject altogether if you can. You will be better able to come to terms with something that is unavoidable. Be hopeful.



Capricorn Dec 22 - Jan 19)

Something you have done can do

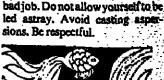
longer be undone, you will just have

to learn to live with the consequen-

ces. You should have a little more

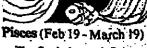
faith in yourself. There is no reason

to be suspicious of others. Be



would have wished, but you will be

able to make the best of a relatively



The Sun's better influence will help you to get on with a rather difficult person. Make sure your partner feels loved and wanted. Do not cat so much that you put on weight. Be tolerant.....



"Catch of the Day is fish fingers."

Mother.

#### By Simon Haydon

PARIS, (Reuter): France.has kicked off a year-long party to mark the 20th anniversary of the French Revolution, which toppled an absolute monarch and introduced people's power as a political weapon.

But while no one questions the significance of the events of 1789, plans for the bicentenary festival have been tarnished by political bickering over just how much celebrating should be done to mark one of France's most bloody periods.
The festivities appeared

doomed to failure until last year, when a new Socialist government pumped large amounts of money and enthusiasm into the project.

The Socialists replaced a Conservative government, which acknowledged the importance of the event, but balked at dancing in the streets over mob revolt, the terrorising of aristocrats and the beheading of King Louis XVI. Hundreds of events will take

place around France in 1989 to mark the 1789 revolution, and a mass of gimmickry is flooding French shops as retailers seek to cash in one revolutionary

Dolls, mock guillotines and even condoms coloured red, white and blue after the national flag are on sale.

On the more serious side, historians have reopened debate on the events leading up to and following the storming of the Bastille prison by a 900-strong mob on July 14, 1789, and also on the execution four years! later of Louis. Climax

Bicentenary organisers say July 14 will be the climax of

celebrations, when descen-dants of the Bastille stormers will march through Paris and an all-night ball will be held in the Place de la Bastille, where the stone-walled prison once

The annual summit of leaders of the world's largest industrial nations will start on the same day in central Paris, and French President Francois Mitterrand has indicated he

By Stephen R. Wilson

ROME, (AP): When an Italian

historian recently blasted Rome

as a corrupt, vulgar and violent

city that shouldn't be the nation's

capital, Romans angrily protes-

But many also conceded that

the eternal city that has survived

sackings, sieges and the fall of an

empire appears helpless against

the onslaughts of the 20th cen-

tury. Modern Rome is plagued by chaotic traffic, unhealthy

levels of air and noise pollution,

crumbling monuments and

inadequate public transporta-

projects under way to prepare for its role as host of the 1990 World

Cup soccer tournament.
With the city paralyzed by traffic gridlock during the Chris-

tmas shopping crunch, Mayor Pietro Giubilo ordered that

private vehicles could circulate

only on alternate days depending

on whether they have odd or even

license plates. But the plan was

dropped after opposition from

of ineffective decision-making,

trapping the city's 3 million residents in the middle of com-

peting interest groups.
"The central government has

never really had any interest in

governing Rome," says Francesco D'Onofrio, a former Chris-

tion in your column.

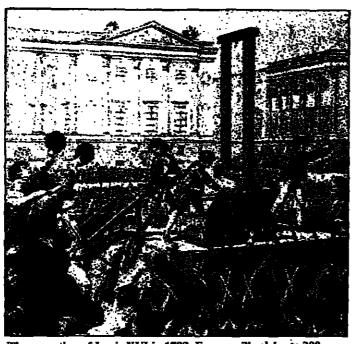
we can make an early diagnosis.

It became yet another example

the City Council.

The city has virtually no major

# France gears up for Revolution party



The execution of Louis XVI in 1793. France will celebrate 200 years of the Revolution which took place in 1789.

Eternal city losing war against modern day ravages

Let Rome go to ruin, says historian

will also invite a large number of Third World heads of state.

Celebrations began on January 1 when Montgolfier hotair balloons were launched from all over France carrying greeting cards from any citizen. In Paris, the balloons took off from the Place de la Concorde, where the guillotine accounted for hundreds of aris-

tocratic heads, including those

of Louis and his wife Marie

Antoinette. Celebrations

Main historical celebrations begin on May 5, when the imposing Palace of Versailles, west of Paris, where the monar-chs lived, will host a re-enactment of the states-general

The states-general, the 18th

There is a proposal, though

still far from being realized, to

build a government and business.

centre on 1,600 acres (652 hec-.

tares) on the eastern edge of the

it's a work of art and works of art

American author Gore Vidal,

who has kept an apartment in

central Rome for 26 years, said in

Popular

the world's most popular cities.

Tourists flock to glimpse its

treasures of art, history and

architecture, to savour its cuisine

in a family-run trattoria and to

visit the Vatican city-state

And for all its detractors,

Rome still has its eternal suppor-

"Rome is what the Italians want it to be. All types of Italians live and work in Rome, Rome is a cross-section of Italy," said

Rome has always gone to

While Italy has experienced

ruin, but at the same time it has

great economic strides in recent

years and claims to have surpas-

sed Britain as the world's fifth-

largest industrial power, its

always been very much alive."

novelist Alberto Moravia.

located within its perimeter.

As such, Rome remains one of

ought not to be capitals,

"Rome isn't really a capital,

toric centre.

an interview

century's equivalent of parliamentarians, marched to Versailles to hear Louis demand a bigger effort to solve the country's disastrous economic plight which was causing famine and stoking discontent.

Demands But Louis made no reference in his speech to their demands for political reform, and the frustrated parliamentarians locked out of Versailles by the king - formed their own national assembly.

On July 14, after invading the military arms stores at the Hotel des Invalides, a mob made up of tradesmen, downand-outs, soldiers and mercenaries marched on the Bastille, the symbol of repression of the

capital has continued to suffer

Romans themselves have long

complained about the deteriora-

tion of their city, but it took a verbal broadside by a Turin

parliamentarian and historian to

push the issue to the forefront of

Explaining why he spearhead

the defeat of a bill in the Chamber

of Deputies that would have

allocated 200 billion lire (156

million dollars) for restoration of

Rome monuments, Luigi Firpo

by car fumes. It would be useless

to undertake major restorations.

It would be better to choose

"No one is more arrogant than

another capital for the country."

the Romans," he explained in an interview with Epoca magazine.

"No one is more violent. They

Rome's woes are probably

best exemplified by its traffic

nightmare, an enemy that even

Julius Caesar failed to defeat

when he tried to ban wagons and

chariots from the city centre in 45

Today, 1.8 million cars and

200,000 motorcycles and motor-

scootters fight for space in

ancient, narrow streets. With

only one municipal parking

garage and no metered spaces to

choose from every day some

**DON'T IGNORE WARNING SIGNS** 

are vulgar. But more than any-

thing Romans are corrupt.

"Rome is rotten, asphyxiated

national attention.

declared:

one of many who favour moving government offices out of the his-

Two hundred years later, two brand new buildings will be inaugurated on July 14, one of them a grandiose opera house on the edge of the Place de la

Organisers have promised 'the biggest party in the world,' from nightfall on July 14 until dawn, with music from the Opera House.

About five km (three miles) away on the other side of Paris an equally new building will be the venue for various world leaders, including new US President George Bush, to dis-

cuss global problems.

The Arche de la Defense, a massive cube hollowed out to form an arch, now dominates western Paris, presenting an unparalleled vista straight through the Arc de Triomphe. the Place de la Concorde to the new glass pyramid in a central courtyard of the Louvre art

The leaders will meet on top of the arch, the first time it will have been used.

The final major festivity is marked down for August 26, when the revolutionary National Assembly adopted a declaration of human rights.

Plans to celebrate the revolu-tion have sparked harsh arguments around France as politicians differ on the value of its lesson for the modern world.

In the northeastern town of Thionville, a battle is still raging between local Socialist and Conservative councillors over whether a bust of revolutionary leader Maxmilien Robespierre should be placed in the central square.

Communist town Mayor Paul Souffrin, describing him-self as 'an old admirer of Robespierre', approved the project. But right-wing parliamentarian Andre Lacroix condem-

ned the project, likening Robespierre's revolutionary fervour to that of 'an ayatollah'. The national media has also been getting into the act. French television organised a mock trial of Louis XVI, with

the verdict cast by viewers' tele-phone calls. More than 50 per cent said he should have been acquitted

traffic, honking horns and

screaming sirens average 76.4

decibels, 11 above the level con-

sidered unhealthy for humans.

But cars travel at an average

speed of only six miles (10

The gridlock never lets up

because there is a mad dash home for lunch and, following a siesta,

back to the office in addition to

the morning and evening crush.

Early this year, the city barred private vehicles from entering

the centre from 7 am to 10 am and

pm to 7 pm Monday through

But the ban has only worsened

the traffic on the outskirts and

barely dented the congestion

downtown because thousands of

special permits are given to

parliamentarians, government officials, journalists, doctors.

judges and others.
"The Roman public eagerly

wants the traffic problem to be

resolved... but each of us rejects

even the idea of leaving the car in

the garage for two or three days a

week," columnist Miriam Mafai

wrote in La Republica, Italy's

Those who choose public tran-

sportation are no better off. Buses are so crowded that pas-

sengers shove and scream for a

space to breathe, while pickpock-

largest daily newspaper.

ets have a field day.

kilometres) per hour.

Saturday.

# EFORDHAM

London litter: to reach the trendy restaurants and West End theatres of Sobo or Covent Garden patrons must dodge rubbish beaped on

# Dirty London worries civic leaders

By Leslie Shepherd

LONDON, (AP): Genteel I.ondon, with its manicured gardens. carefully preserved historic monuments and architectural treasures, is fast becoming one of the industrialised world's dirtiest cities, civil leaders say.

Some of the capital's littered streets have become virtual obstacle courses of trash bags, fastfood wrappers, beer cans and

canine droppings.

Prominent Britons returning from abroad are always saying how littered London looks compared with shiny Zurich or spotless Brussels. The tourist authority says the trash threatens to discourage visitors from over-

Report

"Too much of London has depressing," says A New Look For London, the latest report on the city's litter scourge.

The report was commissioned after Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, accompanying French

London is well on the way to gaining an unenviable distinction of being the most littered and cluttered capital of any advanced country in the world.

President Francois Mitterrand from Heathrow airport to central London in October 1986, was angered by the amount of litter she saw from her limousine. London, with close to 7

million residents, generates about 14 million tons of waste annually, including 2.5 million tons of household garbage, says Jeff Cooper of the London Waste Regulation Authority, a watchdog body. A lot of it becomes

The problem is mainly cultural, says Judy Hillman, who wrote the report, and Professor Graham Ashworth, director-general of the Tidy Britain Group, a non-profit group. They said many Britons simply believe it's someone else's job to

after them. To reach the trendy restaurants and West End theatres of Soho or Covent Garden, patrons must often dodge overflowing garbage bags mounded along curbs and around lampposts as high and wide as sandbags along a swollen river.

At subway stations, commuters tread gingerly through a minefield of slippery potato chips bags, cellophane wrappers and wads of gum which clog the stairways and escalators. Cigarette butts make the pavement outside the Leicester Square look like a tile mosaic.

Most littered In the City, London's financial district, stockbrokers and bankers dispose of 90 tons of newspapers, coffee cups, fast-food wrappers and other trash every — most of it in bins

but some as litter. "London is well on the way to gaining an unenviable distinction of being the most littered and cluttered capital of any advanced country in the world, said Lord St John of Fawsley, Chairman of the Royal Fine Art Commission, which released the latest graphic litter report.

"Our streets are disfigured by rubbish," he said.

Litter and pollution now threaten London's tourist industry, warns Michael Medlicott. Chief Executive of the British Tourist Authority.
"Litter turns off people visit-

ing our shores," he said. "We have a bad reputation and a bad image. London is one of the dirtiest cities in the world." The Tidy Britain Group has

produced a 40-second television ad showing central London's Oxford Street crowded with pigs the two-legged and four-legged variety.

A man is seen sprouting a pig'stail through his trousers as he opens a letter and discards it in a hedge. A woman at a bus stop tosses a used tissue under her seat, and her hand becomes a pig's hoof.

# US capital could become murder capital

# Violent Washington behind closed doors

Known as a city of public glamour and

hidden grime, of national power and poli-

By Deborah Zabarenko

WASHINGTON, America's capital could also become its murder capital if a record wave of violence contin-

Known as a city of public glamour and hidden grime, of national power and politics against a backdrop of urban poverty. Washington is getting a new reputation for murder, random shootings and easily available guns despite some of the strictest gun-control laws in the United States.

January was the deadliest month in the city's history, with 50 homicides reported and the murder rate rising to 24 per 100,000 residents — the same rate as Detroit, which has long led the United States in this grisly

This follows the year of the most homicides ever in Washington. A record 372 people were killed here, most of them by gunfire, in 1988.

Fatal

Two of the latest victims were a brother and sister gunned down in their home a few blocks from the Houses of Congress.

"We live here in America and we believed the legal system would protect us, "a cousin of the two victims said. "We had sincere fears. We expected the police to protect life, not to lament the ones lost."

The violence need not be fatal to be frightening.

tics against a backgound of urban poverty, Washington D.C. is getting a new reputation for murder, random shootings and easily available guns despite some of the strictest gun-control laws in the United

Last week, two teenagers opened fire with semi-automatic eapons at a previously troublefree high school in a quiet, upper-middle-class neighbourhood. Four students were wounded in a clash provoked by an argument over a seat next to a girl in the school's cafeteria.

Now, plans are in the offing to install metal detectors at Washington public schools. Gun-control advocates, including the City Council, have proposed a law that would make gun makers and sellers liable for crimes committed with weapons traceable to them.

Although the District of Columbia - which encompasses Washington — has tough guncontrol laws, weapons are easily available in the Maryland and Virginia suburbs and they flow into town in part to equip street dealers in Washington's rising narcotics trade. "Drugs are driving the

homicides. The guns are doing the homicides," said council president David Clarke, who

proposed the new gun measure. We worship the gun in this

country. The National Rifle Association, which anchors the US gun lobby, calls the plan idiotic, an attempt to blame gun merchants for crimes that police should prevent.

But a spokesman for Mayor Marion Barry says police have a near-impossible task fighting a burgeoning drug problem, especially the smokable cocaine known as crack, as well as criminals' easy access to

weapons.
The telephone directory lists dozens of gun shops advertising fully automatic weapons like those used in the high school attack, although most are in the

To buy a gun in adjacent Virginia patrons must only affirm that they are over 18 years of age. are residents of that state and have never been convicted of cer-

tain crimes. "For home defence, we suggest a shotgun with a 20-inch barrel," said one gun-store clerk asked about his wares.

The notion of home defence is a hot topic in Washington, where pockets of prosperity are interspersed with tumbledown buildings and drug-ravaged areas.
"This is a surface city," said

Thomas Courtless, a professor of law and sociology at George Washington University. "It's the political capital, has the Congress and the President, but once you step beyond those you begin to realise some of the sharp differences between those who are disadvantaged and those who are very privileged."

Contrast

This contrast was clear on the night of President Bush's inauguration. When richly dressed party-goers arrived in limousines at the newly refurbished Union Station, the site of an inaugural ball, relief workers served free soup to homeless derelicts just outside.

Courtless said the "kinder, gentler nation" talk which characterised Bush's presidential campaign and his inaugural address is mainly geared to white, middle-class Americans and not to the predominantly black, poor residents in the White House's backyard.

Since the capital's murder rate began rising in January 1987, nearly all of the city's 400-plus victims have been black and ensnared in the "other Washington" of poverty, mean streets and

# FAMILY DOCTOR By DR ALLAN BRUCKHEIM

QUESTION: My brother finally went to see

that pass through the urine, may also be a cause because smoking has been shown to

increase the possibility of developing this

cancer. However, there is no evidence to

show that the tendency to develop this disease is inherited.

his doctors months after he began to see blood in his urine. He was diagnosed as The most common symptom is blood in having cancer, but claimed he never thought the urine. It may come and go as in the case of your brother, but usually there are other it was serious because the bleeding used to symptoms such as frequent urination and stop by itself. You would be doing your readers a real service to discuss this condipain and burning during urination. They serve as important signs to indicate the need for a medical examination. The physician ANSWER: Thank you for your concerned letter and your sound counsel. Cancer will check the urine for blood, pus and can only be fought successfully when we all infection, as well as looking for cancer cells which may come from a bladder cancer. realize that treatment is most effective when

Kidney X-rays are indicated as well as a Cancer of the bladder is a common discystoscopy, that permits the physician to ease of the urinary tract, second only to look directly into the bladder and search for cancer of the prostate. As many as 400,000 tumours. Bladder tumors tend to develop in-Americans this year alone, will face the groups and can recur after being removed, diagnosis that your brother now does. Most so this process may have to be repeated of them will be older, between 40 and 80, as often. If the lesions are superficial, they may the disease is seldom seen before the age of be removed quite easily, but cancers that have invaded the bladder wall will require a Three out of every four patients will be combination of surgery and radiotherapy. men, possibly as the result of exposure to Bladder cancer can also spread to other parts of the body, emphasizing again the cancer-producing chemicals encountered in the work place. Some of the tobacco tars,

need for early diagnosis and treatment.

QUESTION: My husband has a bad case of herpes and the rash looks terrible. Since we are always together, I'am worried that I might catch the same thing, since the doctor called it a viral infection. What risks am I running if I continue to care for my hus-

ANSWER: Your risks are probably not great, although herpes (also called herpes zoster) is a contagious disease. It all depends upon whether or not you have developed an immunity to the virus such as that gained from having chickenpox. Both chickenpox and shingles are caused by the same virus (the varicella-zoster virus), and since most idults have been exposed to this virus as children, shingles is rarely transmitted from adult to adult.

It's a different story with children, though, and there are many reports of children developing chickenpox after contact with an adult suffering from shingles, so this is not the time for visits by your grandchildren. When children with severe herpes zoster require hospitalization, they are isolated from other patients on the children's floor, to prevent additional infections.

With ordinary hygiene measures, you may continue to care for your husband without undue fears.

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# BUSINESS & FINANCE

### **OPEC's** January output on target

JAKARTA, Feb 18, (Reuter): OPEC did not exceed its production target in January, output ranging around the 18 million barrel a day mark, Indonesian Mines and Energy Minister Ginandjar Kartasasmita said yester-

He told reporters the figure came from an Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries meeting in Vienna.

"I have a report that OPEC's production is still on the safe level that is around 18 million and for sure not as high as 19 million," Ginandjar said.

'So it's not true that OPEC has exceeded its target output,"

OPEC in November set a production ceiling of 18.5 million barrels per day in the first half of 1989, aiming for a price of \$18 per barrel. Market rates are around that, but market rumours say some OPEC members are overproducing.

Indonesia yesterday set the price of its March delivery of the key Minas crude oil to Japan, its major customer, at \$17.56 per barrel, unchanged from

February. Ginandiar stressed the importance of action on the part of oilproducing countries outside of OPEC to restrict output in the second quarter when demand usually weakens as industrialised nations use up winter stocks.

Ginandjar said he saw a positive attitude among non-OPEC countries towards stabilising the oil price. "If they cooperate, the prices will not be too bad in 1989," he said.

Mexico and six other non-OPEC producers will meet in London on Feb 21 to discuss percentage shares in any oil output cut they might agree on, an Energy Ministry spokesman told

### **Brazil expects** \$600m bank loan to be freed

BRASILIA, Feb 18, (Reuter): Brazilian Finance Ministry sour-ces said today creditor banks had indicated willingness to free a \$600-million loan that had previously been linked to a blocked World Bank loan for the power sector.

Asked whether Brazil would therefore be able to avoid a fresh interest moratorium, a senior ministry source replied: "Yes, of

The Rio de Janiero newspaper O Globo carried a front-page report saying Citicorp banker William Rhodes, chairman of Brazil's bank advisory committee, had informed Brazil that the \$600 million would no longer be linked to the World Bank loan.

The Finance Ministry declined to confirm or deny the report in O Globo. But the ministry sources said the banks had not yet taken a formal decision.

Brazil had originally expected to receive the \$600 million, part of a major debt refinancing package, in December. But lengthy negotiations with the World Bank were bogged down in differences over environmental and

nuclear questions. There has been strong speculation in financial markets that Brazil has been headed for a new moratorium on interest payments. On the secondary market, the price of Brazilian debt dipped as low as 28 cents on the dollar t'oday after 32 cents

yesterday.

Talk of a possible debt moratorium first gained currency in January when Fin-ance Minister Mailson Nobrega said Brazil would suspend debt payments if reserves reached a critical level, which he did not

PARIS, Feb 18, (AP): A close friend of President François Mit-

terrand and four other people

were charged yesterday in an

was charged with "receiving" insider information which all-

owed him to buy shares of the US

company Triangle Industries

Inc. in the days before the French

state-owned aluminium man-

ufacturer Pechiney SA offered a

much higher price in a successful

Crime

seems that this is the normal

procedure," Pelat told reporters

after meeting with investigating

Three men were charged with

the crime of insider trading: Paris

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"I am a bit surprised; but it

# Biggest chunk of money still goes to Arab countries

# Kuwait one of the largest aid donors in the world

By Diane Diaz

DESPITE decreases in oil revenues over the past few years, Kuwait remains one of the largest foreign aid donors in the

In 1986-87, Kuwait gave a bigger percentage of its gross national product to foreign aid than any industrialised country, according to the most recent statistics published by the Organisation for Economic Co-Operation and Development (OECD). Ald

Kuwait spent \$491 million during that fiscal year, or 2.1 per cent of its GNP. Only Saudi Arabia gave a larger percentage of its GNP to foreign aid — 4.4 per cent, or roughly \$3 billion, according to the 1988 OECD

The amount Kuwait gives in dollars does not compete with the economic powerhouses of

Japan, the United States and the European Economic Community, who jointly provide nearly 70 per cent of the world's foreign aid

But Kuwaiti pride doesn't rest in the dollar amount it gives. Rather, Kuwait likes to boast about its altruistic intentions.

"It's not the magnitude of the contributions, it's the nature of the contributions," said Hesham Al Woqayan, director of operations at the Kuwait Fund for Arab Economic Development. "All we are seeking is friendship and good relationships with these (recipient) countries."

#### Ailiances

Whereas the superpowers tend to dispense aid based on military and strategic alliances, and other aid-giving countries tend to seek out deals that guarantee economic return, Kuwait claims only to consider the needs of the countries who request aid.
"We don't have anything else

to gain. We are not a superpower. We don't have equipment to sell," Al Woqayan explained.

He said some European countries get back as much as \$4 for every \$1 in aid they give, by tying their contributions to very strict conditions. For example, he said, some aid-giving countries stipulate that all raw materials, contractors and consultants must be hired from their country. **Donor** 

He said other aid-giving nations, such as the United States and the Soviet Union, help mainly those who fit into their strategic and military plans. He cited the huge amount of money that Israel and Egypt receive from the US.

"We're in a better position than any other donor because our only interest is for the project and the economy of the country

we help," Al Woqayan said, adding that, in Kuwait, politics has very little to do with foreignaid funding.

"The Kuwait Fund is open for anyone," he said. "East and West can participate in our projects. It does not depend on politics, religion or race. We work in and out of the Muslim world.'

Indeed, from the time the Kuwait Fund first offered aid to non-Arab countries in 1974, it has grown dramatically. It has offered assistance to 64 countries, including China, Turkey, Greek Cyprus, North and South Yemen and Angola.

#### Relations

"We are not affected by political factors. We are dealing with socialists, communists, liberals, and countries that may not have relations with one another. We only consider their

relations with Kuwait," Al Woqayan said.

The biggest chunk of money still goes to Arab countries, with specific emphasis on developing African countries.

The fund does not participate in projects that are in any way connected to Israel or South Africa. And, despite its non-discriminatory policy, it has not funded projects in the developing countries of Latin America.

Al Woqayan explained that the fund has deliberately stayed out of projects in Latin America because of the debt crisis many of those countries face.

'If you give assistance or loans that you know will cause problems later on, why start out in the first place?" he asked. Al Woqayan went to say that

there's "no point entering that region. Their problems are too great. They cannot be absorbed by Kuwait Fund activities."

# Some bumpy times still lie ahead for stock market

# Fed's policy has not yet pinched

NEW YORK, Feb 18, (AP): To judge by the behaviour of the financial markets, the Federal Reserve seems to have made a remarkable discovery — a way to tighten credit without causing much pain.

For the better part of a year now, the Fed — the American central bank - has been following a restrictive credit policy in a campaign to keep inflation under control

The prime interest rate set by major banks across the country has climbed from 8.5 per cent early last year to 11 per cent this month.

Yet the economy continues to grow at a healthy pace, corporate earnings flourish and the stock market forges ahead in its recovery from the crash of 1987. **Events** 

Naturally, this happy combination of events is welcomed on Wall Street. But it also poses a nagging question: Can the Fed keep inflation under firm restraint without sooner or later stifling business activity as well?

The optimists in the financial world say the Fed's tightening need not inevitably lead to a

Slower growth, under this

kind of reasoning, can evolve into a "soft landing" for the economy, and an accompanying decline in interest rates that would keep the stock and bond

markets happy. But other analysts warn that a lot can go wrong with this kind of

Suresh Bhirud at Oppenheimer and Co. says he believes a full-scale recession can be avoided, but some bumpy times still lie ahead for the stock market.

Capacity

With the economy pushing against its capacity limits and the persistently high trade deficit, he says, the Fed will be forced to keep credit conditions tight until the economy has slowed significantly.

"Although it has rallied very strongly since the beginning of the year," Bhirud contends, "the stock market is likely to enter a

corrective mode by mid-year."
Stock traders were still in high spirits in the past week. The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials rose 38.75 points to 2,324.82.

The New York Stock Exchange composite index gained 2.44 to 166.45; the NAS- DAQ composite index for the over-the-counter market rose 4.82 to 407.19, and the American Stock Exchange market value index was up 3.18 at 325.95.

Volume on the Big Board averaged 156.85 million shares a day, against 191.09 million the week before. **Problem** 

The big problem with trying to gauge the effects of Fed policy moves is the time lag of varying length, between the central bank's actions and their visible results in the economy. Richard Hoey, economist at'

Drexel Burnham Lambert Inc., says some special forces are also at work now to obscure the impact of tighter credit. For one, he says, the Fed's actions have increased optimism

about the inflation outlook, thus causing a rise in prices of assets such as stocks and increasing confidence in general. "Fed tightening does not

usually cause positive wealth effects," Hoey observes, "but it has been generating a positive wealth effect under today's peculiar circumstances.

The rise in short-term interest rates has begun to pinch the pocketbooks of homeowners

But because long-term interest rates have remained relatively stable, Hoey says, rates on fixed mortgages have not gone up very

Thus, housing, usually one of the first sectors of the economy to feel the effects of tighter credit, has not been crimped so much this time.

Also, Hoey maintains, money from abroad in the financial markets and elsewhere has helped offset any "liquidity" squeze resulting from tighter While this makes for a healthy

picture now, Hoey says, it is tes-timony that the Fed's policy is slow, gradual tightening isn't achieving its intended purpose.
"We continue to expect a solid

economic expansion in 1989," he concludes, "but it should be the last year of economic expansion. We expect a full-scale recession

# Oil firms to spend \$274.5m on drilling

KUALA LUMPUR, Feb 18, (AP): Oil companies will spend about 750 million ringgits (\$274.5 million) to drill about 45 exploration wells in Malaysian waters this year, according to a government report.

The investment is three times more than that of last year, according to the news bulletin of the government-owned National Petroleum Corporation, or Petronas. The report, issued today, also

quoted Abdul Aziz Mahmud, Petronas vice-president for exploration and production, as saying the company has signed 17 new production-sharing agreements with 26 multinational oil companies over the past 18 months.

Malaysia produces about 550,000 barrels of oil per day. A barrel contains 42 gallons (160 

-Base Per no : 1/ 2/1983

# World Business Summary Ford's 1988 profits set

# **US car industry record**

DEARBORN, Mich., Feb 18, (Renter): Ford Motor Co., said yesterday its net income rose 15 per cent in 1988 to a US car industry record of \$5.3 billion, eclipsing the previous high reported by General Motors Corp., earlier this week. It was the third straight year Ford has had record net income. In 1987 the company earned \$4.6 billion. For the fourth quarter, Ford carned \$1.16 billion, or \$2.42 per share, up from its 1987 fourth-quarter results of \$932 million, or \$1.87 a share. On Tuesday GM reported net income of \$4.86 billion for 1988, setting an industry record and surpassing its previous earnings peak of \$4.5 billion in 1984. Ford said its overseas operations earned a record \$2.1 billion in 1988, up from \$1 billion in 1987. But its US car profits fell to \$2.5 billion from \$2.75 billion. Earnings also declined at its financial services unit, which had a net profit of \$691 million, down from \$857 million in 1987. Ford's 1988 net income for both the quarter and year were in the middle of the range estimated by car industry analysts. The car maker said its international operations were boosted by record industry volume in Europe and higher operating efficiencies. It said earnings also rose in the Asia-Pacific region, reflecting strong industry volume and lower marketing costs, and in Latin America. Ford said its US car profits declined because of higher product and marketing costs, as well as a less favourable product mix. However, Ford in 1988 saw its share of the US car market increase to 21.7 per cent, the highest for the car maker in 10 years and up 1.5 percentage points from 1987. Ford said earnings on total car operations, domestic and international, were \$4.6 billion in 1988 on sales of \$82.2 billion, compared with income of \$3.76 billion on sales of \$71.8 billion in 1987. Ford's board of directors in January anne 25 per cent increase in the dividend, from 60 cents to 75 cents a



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Linguistics, Harvard University, USA. Date: Sunday, 19 February, 1989 **Time:** 6:00 pm

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Afterwards tea will be served.

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# US oil imports increase by 20.6pc

Feb (OPECNA): For the first time in a decade, the United States imported more oil in January than it produced, the American Petroleum Institute reported

The seasonal rise in consumption brought on by cold weather helped stimulate the surge in imported oil, but the institute's figures also showed that the shift had been coming for years because of a long-term decline in domestic oil production, coupled with rising demand.

Domestic production in January came to 7.90 million BPD, down by 3.4 per cent over the same period last year, while imports rose by 20.6 per cent to 8.20 million BPD.

"What you're seeing is the future," said Charles Dibona, president of the institute, adding that the figures might adjust somewhat over the next few months, but the long-term trend

# **Deliveries**

For the third consecutive month, oil deliveries, an important measure of demand, were up by more than six per cent from the corresponding month a year earlier, said the institute, a trade group based in Washington. It

officer in a Paris investment com-

pany, Robert Reiplinger, the

judicial sources said, speaking on

condition of anonymity.

includes producers, refiners and marketers.

In January, oil deliveries totalled 18.30 million BPD, up from 17.20 million a year earlier. The institute does not record consumption, only deliveries, raising the possibility that its figures reflect the building of inventories by customers in anticipation of a price rise, rather than an increase in oil use. Partly in response to the

figures, oil prices rose sharply on Wednesday in trading on the New York Mercantile Exchange. West Texas Intermediate, the American benchmark crude, for March delivery jumped to \$18.26 a barrel from \$16.91 on Feb 1.

# **Attributed**

Traders also attributed the price rise to reports of new cooperation between OPEC and non-OPEC oil producers to limit oil production. In addition, the Louisiana department of environmental quality said that oil wells were bringing natural radiation to the surface, and some traders took that as a bullish sign because it might limit production.

"There was good buying from most sectors of the market," said

Peter Beutel, a trader with Elder Futures. "It looks now like we're

or may be higher." With the new figures, the United States is approaching the record set in Feb 1977, when it imported 10 million BPD of oil. In that month, 48.8 per cent of petroleum demand, which included natural gas liquids like propane and butane, was met by

Last month imports accounted for 45 per cent of total US petroleum demand.

national interest," he said.

Dibona of the Petroleum Institute said: "We would could probably stabilise production with one bell of an effort. It would require higher prices."

headed towards the \$18.50 level,

imports, and for all of 1977 the figure was 47.7 per cent.

The prospect is for a continued decline in production because oil prices are too low to stimulate new drilling. Kenneth Johnson, assistant director of the Oklahoma Geological Survey, said owners of many small wells were allowing them to run until they needed repairs, but as for shutting them at that point, he added, "it's rare to find people who were willing to lose money for the

# **Kuwait International Fair Company**

cordially invites all engineers, specialists and the public to visit the biggest gathering of its kind for companies, establishments and authorities specialised in the fields of engineering,

The Kuwait International Building, **Engineering and Municipality** Services Exhibition,

to be held from Feb 20-23, 1989. Visiting hours: from 9.00 am - 1.00 pm and

The exhibition will start receiving visitors from



building and municipality services at

from 4.00 - 9.00 pm

Monday afternoon.

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#### insider trading scandal that has The sources said Pelat and a embarrassed France's Socialist friend of his, Isabelle Pierco. government, judicial sources were charged with "receiving" **Profit** the insider information and Pelat sold his and his family's Roger-Patrice Pelat, a retired profiting from it, a charge that shares over the following week in businessman, confirmed that he

carries the same maximum penalty as insider trading - two years in prison and a fine of up to four times the amount illicitly gained in the deal. French law forbids judicial officials from disclosing infor-mation about criminal cases,

tant cases, the investigating mag-istrate or another official closely involved in the inquiry routinely briefs courthouse reporters. Pelat, 70, bought 10,000 shares of Triangle stock for himself, his wife and his two sons on Nov 16,

including charges. But in impor-

half for \$10 a share and half for \$10.75 a share. At that time, Pechiney's takeover offer of \$56 per share had

been negotiated and submitted to senior French government officials for approval. The bid was made public on Nov 21, sending Triangle's stock price soar-

three installments, getting more than four times the price he had

\$350,000). In a televised interview last Sunday, Mitterrand said he knew Pelat as a man of courage and integrity from their years together in a French resistance, and before that in a German

just paid, for a total profit of about 2.2 million francs (about

prisoner of war camp in 1940. "We were a small group who remained very close. It is rare that prisoners of war, in such circumstances of misery and solitude, show as much strength of soul, character and friendship" as Pelat did, Mitterrand said.

Mitterrand's friend charged in insider trading scandal But he said if Pelat were found guilty of an offence, "then in my role as President I would not be able to maintain the same kind of friendship I have had with him for so long.

On Wednesday, Pelat resigned from the board of directors of Air France, a spokeswoman for the state-owned airline confirmed last night. Pelat has said he was tipped to buy Triangle stock by a friend. Max Theret, who is a business-

man with longstanding ties to the

Socialist Party, although not a

close friend of Mitterrand. Theret, who bought 32,300 Triangle shares the day before Pelat's purchase, said he came up with the idea from his own stock research and denied getting any inside information from government officials or anyone else.

Theret and Reiplinger are each half owners of a Paris investment firm and acted together in the Triangle stock purchase, the commission said.

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# Market continues to show weaker trend as Kuwait trade volume dips

Kuwait Metal Pipes

Kuwait Computer Co.

Bahrain Int'i Bank

Non-Kuwaiti Companies

Mobile Telephone Systems

THE Aishall index for Kuwaiti shareholding companies recorded on Wednesday an average of 38.08 points with a decrease of 0.86 point, 2.21 per cent from last week's average. The Alshall index for non-Kuwaiti shareholding companies reached 72.61 points with an increase of 0.64 point — 0.89 per cent for the same period, according to a weekly report by the Alshall Economic Consul-

The trading volume for Kuwaiti shares reached 21.22 million shares at a daily average of 4.24 million shares with a decrease of 25 per cent from the previous week's daily average of 5.63 million

Non-Kuwaiti traded shares reached 6.26 million shares at a daily average of 1.25 million shares with a decrease of 22 per cent from last week's daily average of 1.60 million shares.

The value of Kuwaiti traded shares was KD7.78 million at a

daily average of KD1.556 million, a decrease of 17 per cent from last week's daily average of KD 1.872 million. The value of non-Kuwaiti traded shares was KD0.307 million at

daily average of KD0.061 million, a decrease of 22 per cent from last week's daily average of KD0.078 million. The market continues to show signs of low activcity inspite of

the several attempts that aimed at raising overall activity. The main reason for these attempts to have failed in reaching the required results is that they were concentrated on one sector. The banking sector and few selected companies, leaving the rest to the Companies continue to declare their dividends and financial

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positions for 1988. Four companies listed in the Kuwaiti Stock Exchange have done so during the week, leading to a total of 16 companies 36 per cent of total listed companies that already have declared their positions and distributions. In the non-Kuwaiti market only one company, 14 per cent of total listed companies, has declared its financial position and

dividends distribution. Companies are still tending to distribute stock dividends together with cash dividends which are reflected in the increase of the percentage of companies 62.5 per cent against 25 per cent that distributed stock dividends this year against the same

For the Kuwaiti share market, the banking sector had the lead at 70 per cent of total trading against 78 per cent last week. The Commercial Bank had the lead at 26 per cent, followed by the National Bank of Kuwait at 21 per cent and Burgan Bank at 17 per

The real estate sector came second at 14 per cent of total trading. in which United Realty dominated at 99 per cent of total sector

trading as a result of decreasing its capital. The services sector came third at eight per cent of which Public Warehousing led at 37 per cent, followed by Kuwait Commercial Markets at 34.5 per cent, and Mobile Telephone Systems at 28.5

For the non-Kuwaiti shares market, Umm Al Quain Cement Company had the lead at 27 per cent, followed by Bahrain International Bank at 26 per cent, and Medical Projects Company at 22 per cent.

A comparison of dividends for listed companies 1988 against 1987				nies
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The National Bank	22	10	22	13
Kuwait Real Estate Bank	12		6	8
Kuwait Finance House	_	13	4	9
Bank of Kuwait & M. East	12		6	7
The Gulf Bank	11		5	7
The Commercial Bank	8	_	4	5
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Kuwalt shareholding companies index

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-Base Period 31/12/1983. -All the companies listed by the Stock Exchange under non-Kuwaiti companies are included.

# Pockets empty as world fails to act on debt, says Brazil

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WASHINGTON, Feb 18, (AP): Brazil, the Third World's biggest debtor, says it has no money to pay on its debts next month, focusing new attention on the world's failure to agree on what to do about the \$1.3 trillion that poor countries owe rich ones.

National Industries

The problem afflicts not only Latin America, but Nigeria, Yugoslavia, Indonesia and others with heavy debts to banks. They struggle to scrape together the billions needed to pay the interest on their debt every month and still have something left over to invest in projects that will halt their decline in living standards.

President Jose Sarney of Brazil promised to raise the issue when he sees US President George Bush on Friday at the funeral of Japan's Emperor Hirohito. Bush has said debt is partly a national security problem and must be

# Agreement

Treasury Secretary Nicholas F. Brady's recent meeting with six major governments in Washington brought agreement, once again, that something should be done - but no consensus on what to do.

To make its March interest payment, Brazil was counting on the release of 600 million in credits by the Japanese government plus \$500 million from the World Bank and 600 million

from private banks, said Finance Ministry spokesman Geraldo

Brazil owes about \$115 billion and Argentina nearly 57 billion. Both have civilian governments which have emerged only in recent years after long periods of military rule.

Brazil transferred a net \$13.5 billion out of the country last year, according to figures just produced by the UN Economic Commission for Latin America. Sarney said Brazil does not have the \$1.3 billion due in March.

# Interest

Much of the money would go to pay interest owed to US banks, Brazil's main creditors. The Institute for International

Finance, which groups major creditor banks, said Brazil has plenty of reserves on paper — as much as \$9 billion or 10 billion last September. But it could be short of cash because other Third World countries are slow in pay-

ing the money they owe to Brazil. Until 1982, more money came into Laun America from wealthier countries than went out again. That is the traditional pattern: loans and investments have tended to flow into the development

of poorer areas. Such flows had increased into Latin America after 1974, when oil-producing countries declared a big increase in their prices and deposited much of their new ear-

# **KD** deposit rates ease

KUWAIT, Feb 18, (Reuter): Kuwaiti dinar deposit rates mostly eased today as offshore banks lent funds and month-end salaries entered the system.

Dealers expected rates to fall further this week with no treasury bill issue to absorb rising liquidity.

Overnight business opened at 6-1/2 per cent but firmed to seven and eight per cent as a few banks covered positions.

But tomorrow and spot-next slipped one point from Thursday to 6-1/2 per cent offers after 6-1/2 per cent deals early in the day. One-week was put at seven, six

The fixed periods dropped up to 1/2 point to eight, 7-3/8 per cent for the one through threemonth maturities with threemonth business at 7-3/4 per cent.

# to boost ties with Mideast A DELEGATION of the Dutch

During the ten days' sales mission which started on Feb 17 the delegation will visit five locations in the Middle East. Yesterday the team arrived in Dubai to visit the local travel trade. Today and tomorrow the group will be in Abu Dhabi where a workshop, sales calls and a press meeting will be arranged in co-operation with KLM, Royal Dutch

Afterwards a full agenda will be worked through in Kuwait on

For some years now the Neth-

Companies represented dur-

### **UK trade** team arrives in Kuwait

arrived in Kuwait yesterday, and organised by the Kent and Sussex Exporters Association.

es from compai involved in the manufacture of consumer goods and industrial products. Also represented are companies offering training, art consultancy and supply services.

The team will also visit

The 12-member team headed by Robert Biancardi, director of Biancardi Ltd. will explore and assess the potential for new and existing markets for British

Kuwait, today.

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# **Dutch tourism** team seeks

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-BURGAN BANK

-NATIONAL BANK

-COMMERCIAL BK

tourism and travel industry is currently visiting the Middle East to strengthen ties with existing tourist organisations and to make new contacts. The leader of the delegation is Joan Kalff of the Netherlands Board of Tourism (NBT) who replaced Verhoef as director for the Middle East, Australia and New Zealand in January 1989.

Feb 21 and 22.

erlands Board of Tourism, as the first European nation, has established its own representative here called Al Sayer

On Feb 23 the delegation will visit Riyadh where, in co-operation with Saudia, Saudi Arabian Airlines, a programme will be worked through with workshops, sales calls and a press

meeting.
On Feb 26 and 27 a similar agenda will be undertaken during a visit to Jeddah. Managing director of the

Netherlands Board of Tourism Hans Cornelissen, will accompany the sales mission for part of

ing this mission are the Amsterdam Tourist Office, two 5-star hotels in Amsterdam, Victoria Hotel and Amsterdam Sonesta Hotel and Van Moppes Diamonds, also from Amsterdam.

A BRITISH trade mission will be staying at the Sheraton Hotel until Feb 20. The mission is

Thirteen British companies are participating in this trade The delegation consists of

Bahrain from Feb 20-22 as part of a Gulf tour.

products in the country as well as to renew business contacts.

# Interest Rates

KUWAIT, Feb 18, (KUNA): Following are the average KD interest rates of local interbank transactions as reported by participants to Central Bank of

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# US to resume coffee talks resolved to win changes

WASHINGTON, Feb (Reuter): The United States will go into coffee trade talks in London on Monday resolved to abandon an international pricesupport agreement if its conditions are not met, government officials said.

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The US has long said it will not sign a new agreement if members of the International Coffee Organisation (ICO) do not find a way to export more high-quality coffees and end the practice of selling excess coffee cheaply to countries outside the pact.

Largest "We're basically looking for

other countries to tell us how, if they want us to be a member of the new agreement, they are going to resolve the problems that we have," said Jon Rosenbaum, who is in charge of coffee policy for the US trade represen-

tative's office.
The US is the largest consumer in the 74-nation ICO which links producers and consumers in an attempt to support coffee prices

through a system of export anotas.

Rosenbaum said that at the week-long talks to renew the sixyear price support agreement that expires in September the US would present new, unspecified proposals for increasing the availability of high-quality cof-fee, much of which is produced in Latin America.

Last year the ICO agreed to increase export quotas for producers of higher quality coffees when the coffees rose in price relative to lower-quality coffees, produced mainly in Africa and Indonesia. US officials now want that system made permanent and expanded.

# Consumption

American consumption of gourmet, flavoured and decaffeinated coffees has risen about 20 per cent per year in recent years, while overall American coffee consumption has declined to 1.67 cups per person daily from 1.99 cups in 1984 and 3.12 cups in 1962.

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Sterling	0.50725	0.5113
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F. fr	0.04567	0.0460
It. lira	0.0002123	0.000214
Jap yen	0.0022694	0.002290
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#### payments again, despite a recent agreement with the banks. But yesterday, spokesman Moura said a moratorium on debt repayment was not being con-

Outflow Brazilians complain that the outflow of money leaves them little to invest at home in new projects to create more jobs, goods and income. The commission says the country's total production — and, consequen-ily, incomes — declined by 5.5 per cent in 1988 after rise 9.2 per

sidered now.

nings in banks. Banks then lent

always invest the money produc-

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into lavish, unnecessary projects

Now, when interest rates have

risen, the borrowers find the bur-

den of repaying the debts too

heavy to bear. Sarney said Brazil had paid out \$55 billion as

interest since 1985, but still owes

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In 1987, Brazil had a total out-

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most of the year, a suspension

that shook the world financial

try has warned in the past that it

may have to suspend interest

The Brazilian Finance Minis-

and private pockets.

But the borrowers did not

heavily in Third World areas.

cent in 1987. Argentine incomes have been declining throughout the 1980s, though there was a slight increase in 1987. The average Argentine earned \$2,370 last year and the average Brazilian \$2,020, according to the World Bank.

# Sa'ad Al Self, Overland Customs Controller. The opening of this new branch is a further step in the bank's continuing strategy of enhancing its services in Kuwalt. Picture shows officials during the branch opening ceremony.

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Naser Al Rashed — chairman and managing director of Public Warehousing Co., Major Nayef Turki — Sulaibiya Police

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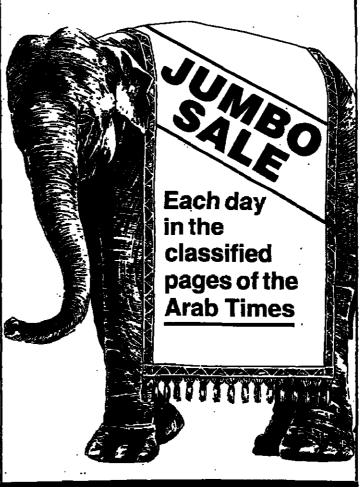
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اور شستنی می اس حم رابلیل کاکونی امکان بر کیک ظاہر شاہ افغان کومت کے کس می الیکی سے طاقات کے فواہل نسی

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عرب بعد کے اپنے عثم انجیف اور سام اکپ آر گانائزیک سمنی کے

پیرین جاب فالدالیداء نے جما گیرفان کو کپ دیا۔ مجول کی

اس مرود کا اجتمام سعودی امریکن بیک احد باریسکن بیدیج کے

ا انس سودق عرب سے تمام شرول می ملنے کامری سے ماک

حيدر آباد كركث كلب واني ايم ي

اسکوائش کے کھیل کوسودی مرب میں مقبول ایا جا سے۔

اس وتت عاري مي ياليسي ع

داخله کورو کے کے لئے بھی ضروری اندامات کے مجھے ہیں۔

ی کس درائع نے حرب بتایا کہ حافقی اقدامات کے طور پر

س بذريد كارجنازه كي باياجات كار

الملاك كو زياده فتصان مسي بنيجالين شائل قبرستان جمال مير - ماركين اور ساحلي كافظ كام في تايا كه عالمي

ظاہرشاہ کی طرف ہے افغان حکومت کے ایلچوں سے ملا قات کی تردید

سابق شناوے ماحقی میں ایساً وکی را بطار کھاہے اور ند مستثبل میں اس کے خواباں ہیں 'جہزی عہدا کو گ

جك ثروع كرنے كوس كا ظرار كياہے۔

جواین رب کانحم ماننے میں مماز قائم كرت بين الي معاملات آبس ك مشورت سے جائے ہیں ہم نے بو مجے محی رزق اضيم ديا ہے اس ميں ت خرج كرتے يس اور جب ان يرزياوتي كي جاتي بي تواس كا

(سورة شوري آيت تمبر ٣٨\_٣٩)



### حديث ول

ك (جب مول ألرم ف معزت مديق اكبر كونماز يزهانے كاظم دياتو) من نے آپ ت (اس علم برنظر عالی کی ) بار بار درخواست كى كونك محصيه خيال آناتها كه جو مخض مجي آب كى جكه ير كمر إبو كات بمي بندنه كري مے بلکے اسے منوس خیال کریں سے اندایں جائتی تھی کہ آپ معزت ابو بر کواس کام (المحمة) معاف فرمادي.



ه**ل و**د انش

🗔 ... .. لوگوں کو سب کچھ بچے بتادیا جائے تو ملك محفوظ ربتا ب-

محبتوں میں مجب ہے ولوں کا دھڑکا سا كه جانے كون كال داسته بدل جائے

آج کےدل

اور آسرياس جنگ ختم بو گئي۔ برطانيه وانديزي جنكس دستبردار بوكيا ١٤٩٤ في ينولين بونا يارث في وينس من

کے تحت کینٹن کو آزادی دیدی گئی۔ ۱۹۲۴ نیسه ایران کے شماہ احمہ معزول ہو

١٩٨٨ ني ينوني افريقة من وندوك ك ايك وفتهيس يم دهاكه سية الفراد ملاك اسازخي بو

لرنسیوں کی قیمت حسب ذیل رہی۔

يحارتي روي (ني بزار) ۹۸۰ – ۱۸ (قىبرار) ۱۱۳-۰۰ فرانسینی فرانک (فیبزار) ۲۰۵۰ ۴۸۹ امر کی ڈالر (ٹی بڑار) ۲۸۷ – ۲۸۷ يرطانوي ياؤند (ني بزار) ۳۹۰ – ۱۱۱۵ جرمن مارك (في بزار) ١٥٢٠ - ١٥١ المرات ورجم (تي بزار) ۲۵۰ – ۸۸

ريديونيرو كرام

# یاکتانی کرکٹ قیم کے سیلیکشن میں کارکردگی کومد نظر نہیں رکھاجاتا

میں اور در توب ہے کہ بعض کر کمٹ سے بالدو گوں کو سلیکش میٹی کار کرن بنار یاجا ہے۔ یاکتان کرکٹ بورڈائڈای ہے زیادہ ترا لیے <u>تھا</u> کر آ ير بوك مرصد دراز تك اختلاقات كاسبيد ينتيج استعدد بار الماءاب كرنى ى في كريسط من قوى كركت كونا قاتل اب و مکھے میں سلیفن کے معیار کوراقم اب تک یہ مجھنے ے قاصرے كم في ك كو في كي سلكش كمين كلميار كيابواب الني تقسان و علياب اور پيني رباب دستوري طريق ت توني تھی۔ کاؤ تی کے مطابق اور مجھی قوی سیزان کے انتہارے میم ى يى دايك ايدا داده برس كالمعلد كركث كمادت على كالتقب كرتي ليك مرتب جزل كرايم اظر حتی ہوا ہے اور وہ کی بھی کھلائی کے دباؤ کے پیش نظر اپنا نيط تدل نس كرنى ليكن بياش ومرف قاعد كارد تك المان على كما كيافقاكده وكلادى قوى سيزن على مركب تهي كرے كا۔ تودوتوي فيم عن اختاب كا حذار ند بو كا۔ اس وقت ای فیط کیدے میردام فی ورا عادی مایت کی تی تین فدشر می فاہر کیافاکہ آیاء مین می دی عکا یا شیراس وقت مرفراز فاز کو مرف اس الع محت دیس کیا گیا يد اكتان تم كى خودت من جامات ودو بورد كواية من يندنيط كرواف رجودكر أجاورووة كمران الجميس بذكرك كاس علادق كي تجويز وعلى وابوت بي عوازيدوا تعاكدانسول في ويزن نس كهيا تفايد بحت بدارسك تعلاد جاآب كمدان بن الني صاحب كومقالمه كراب أفرايدا

اور قارم من بھی محم لیکن اس کے اعدوی ہواجس کا قدشہ يدود سوال ب كداد كركث عدوايست برقض ك دين من آ أبدالم س تي يكاوراني قريب ورامني يعيد تھا۔ اس قانون کی بر سرعام کالفت عمران خان نے گیا تی وجہ ے ان کے اختلافات ہورڈ ہے ہمی ہو گئے اور واقعی عمران مشابات ك مطابل إلى كى في ك ابتدائى وورك الخ اکتان کاداود کواڑی ہے جو کہ قوی گی کر کٹ میں حصد تصلیح اس کے استعمال استان کے استعمال اس کی زینت بنادیا اگر حمد بداران الايرست واقع موسة فيحا وروه نوجوان كملا ثول ك مدور جديد فيل كرست تقصعمول نوعيت كي ياتون بر كلازيون كو نیج میں نہ کھلانے کی وحملی دیتے جھے جس کے باعث کھلاڑی اس وقت كاي ب أل ت انظار كرت تحريب إكتان ادگار باور بوقت مرورت كام آئے إكتان عي موجود اليدي مورت بن بعي المول في الكاري كاري كوالى لا في ويا ركث كرومانيح متعلق الكواضح اختلاف بمى كملازى م كى مرورت بن جائي اورات ما تو ك ملك كا العام كا يائِع كونى أور سمانا ميتاو كمايا\_ تے سی کیالین عران عان نے واشگاف القاظ می موجود جواب طلب كريسي جدر كهلازي السمى كامياب بوطئ اور ماصل کلام یہ ہے کہ جس طریۃ ہمارے ممال وْھانچ كى شدت عالقت كى اور انبول فى كماكسيل قوى ا الله الله الله من جسول في ي ي ي كويمشروت كي وومرت شعبه حیلت می بر عمل " بدحی اور جمول اتاک يزن دس كيل سكا عران فان جوكد الكش كركث اور نوك ير ركعاا در يى يى بي اب وستور اور قواعد كوايك طرف تسكين في الده في ك كاني ما ترب سدد اده قريب بن اس الحان كالنظر ع ر کو آران کی آشیر یاد حاصل کرنے میں معروف ہو گئے۔ چند عَدِيال ان كي محد آبايكا بين مودودين- الكدوليب ان کی معاشرتی انسیت کی تھاک بھی تمایاں ہوجاتی ہے۔ بات مورثى ملكش كا توجنك يمال فوا تقلب يرالا

بلوجو كه تدو كاركون ع كربت كمايابوا ب كدنى ي ي في كامدد مان ثيث كر كربوعالاً دومرت ايبابواب ودند عيدان وحست ورجراوردى اوركتان كامراني كايداوش والواج قار

و ... وى اور جب جاباتيادت كى ذهد وارى سے سِكدوش كرويا عوالي مفري الى كالوك كركت بورة كم مراويخ جنا عابضه ياد رب ١٩٥٩ء على خود تجيب تخفيظ كي ليك كلب ' چلاران آف ِتبسلاوی '' کے فااف معم کے جائع الازبر کے الماه فتخلوب عجيبي اورات اعلاي تشخص كي خلاف قراروك ع ين الرجه معمل الناب يها من مس لكن كل الم ال كر عن الديش مع على ووحت مي كن جاسات عب محوظ ف لما كد ان كى كماب اور آيات شطائي كانتال مي كيا جاسكا دونون يك يمت فرق ب- مؤخر الذكر يتين مالت كرزمر يس آنىت بجدان كى كماب كوالازبرك على محدى تعريط ايم نمول أال كتاب كوفاف تحدوضي كيااور مرف إيندى كا

مطالبه كياتها والهوس في كماكم حقق السائل على أزادى اللماركوب

شيطاني آيلت ير محومت بملى يابندى عائد كريكل إدراس كي خامت بحی کی جانچی تی گرایک قاص منعوبہ بندی کے تحت ایسے حالات بدأكر في كوشش كى حى جس عدام كم منات معتقل مون اورائس است مقاصد على استعال كياجات أقلب شيرياؤ في كماميلز بارني ممودى بارثى بادر عوام كى كاقت يريقين ركمتى ب بم في والتي الله وخومت عن أسفي ال قدر أزادي دي كم کی مثال کلسکی دری امن شی شی کی این تمام سای قدیق كدماكيات المتل العدد عن محى مراض كان ريق أللب غير

میں محمالاے اتحادی اساس صوب کھان عوام کے مفاویرے اور اس اتحاد مرخ و فشكار اثرات عمام برخرود م بسبه ول محمانسيل. حريد كماكد مابته دود مكومت عمد لسائي صوبائي ليرفرقد واريعت كي بنياو يرعوام كوتنتيم كياجا أربااوراس كاستعدا بي فيرنما كده عكومت كو دوام ویا تھاوز را اللی سرحدے بارٹی کار کول کے لیک عشائیہ میں شرکستی عشائیہ سے مجیب علی شزاد الدین الدیش مدائی ہے

ہ ہشت کر دی کے خلاف منازمہ کماپ کی فرانسی ذبان شریا شاعت کے والے سے اران برطانیہ تعلقات میں کٹیدگی برھنے کے ورزى قرار وياب كروين اوراعتى يندمن فكعلب كروطانيه

بغینی .. کماب کی فروخت

الناع كريد مورت مال ادرة على يكل إديث الى عد

بقيه :- بتكام حالت ودعت خررمال ادارے ماس ف افغان خردمال ادارے باخر کے والے سے تایاے کر جوب شرقی افغانستان می مرحد یارے حلوں میں اخذاد مو کیا ہے افغان ایک کی نے پاکستان پر الزام اللا یا ہے اراس کے ۱۵۰ سے زائر فق کریٹر گازیل عل مرمد پر جاتا ہی جبكه بإكستاني بيشياء كي أيك وزن خوست سح افطان علاق يم مستلم

رافلت کی نیاریاں کر رہ ب آس نے اخر زرائع کے والے ۔ جانے کر اِکتانی فرج کے شعبہ اتنا جس کے میٹر افر جس اللہ ان میرد طور پر افغان مدود کی واقع ، ویکھینی آک فومت کے خلاقے یں جمال مدول کے آریش کو مراوط ماعیں۔ آس کے مطابق افعان مدرنجب الدے ابران اور ترکی کے مروا ہول کے نام الگ الكريطات يجيم بن بن على ان ممالك سائل كى كل م كدود حرر وزری کانداد کے لئے ایک احلای ملک کی مدد کریں۔ مدر تجيب فاقوم حفوه كى ملاحق كونسل من الكل كى ب كدود افتان جمليه مدول كوامركي اسلح كى ترسل بدكراف كالأدالات كرے آك ال والد دولك يمائن وائم و كافان صدة كاك اكر داخلن بكر في فر مزك حمل صورت مال والديا کی کمل ملاحب در محق بین آجمده خون فرابه نسی چارچانسول ف

كماكريه س ملك عن فوديق دكاسة مكسلفت مرف اقدّار بلك

فَقِقَ مَنْالِدُ، خَلَدَتِي رِئِنْدُونَ فَي منعاقت مسترَّدِ كَرُدِي \* مليتُ كاهفايا كر دينے و دهملي ي وسند ١٨ و فرود ي (اب رائش) شرقي يوت عي خوزيز البي - عبدالي مدواتك جرج ك كام في عبدالي لمدوات كي مرداه مرجعها عيات بيت كا أعادان كال عان كراء

كياكس في عامن وم ركت كم الح كوروايس دي كوياد ا یں۔ میسائل اداکین پارلیسٹ کی ایک میٹی مجی فرج کے کاعد میم حرف انكل اون سے الا كات كرفيال حى جس عن شرقى بيروت کے ان دوسٹیرا میں الی حریف کردھیل کے درمیان اختادات کی اللہ علی التحادث کی اللہ اللہ اللہ التحادث کی اللہ اللہ اللہ التحادث فی الد مسانی لیدیاه ابرانی فرمز کے درمیان گزشته جوے مثل کےددد تك فوزر بعزي مولى رى تحس جس ك تجسي عده افراد بلاك الدالك موسى وفى موسك فية كم كماعد جن المكل الان المراج عبدى فوقى عومت كم مرواه بحي بي جهاي معالحت كومسروكر داے اور دمکی دی ہے کدان کے مطالبات تعلیم نہ کے گے قود مسائی لیشیاه کاسفایا کردی محد باتی بازد کا خداد السف ک ماین انیک اون نے کواکہ یاقداری جاور کوایک فاص عرمدے الدارراس طوررهملي ولسربها إجاف ورزاك أخري ادر فيعلد كن جك بوكي- مغرلي درائع كاكمناب كد في اور ميمال ليشاء ك

اوآے يال يرد قوي يزن كى كاركردگى كود تظرر كوايا آ ے اور نہ امنی قریب کی کار کروگی بلکہ تسکین طب کو مداخر كفاجا اب اصل من التقاب توصرف من يا جار كفاا زين كا كريابوا بورد واندوس كالزي ومتقل بوتي بان كى

شمولت مين مولى عدد عاديد يمال كاركردكي معيادب كوتكدا كاز فقصد فاعراك فلاف عجرى يناكي اور ثائدار يولككى جس كادجه اكتان كي بيتالدر اعزا كواعراش

فكست وى ليكن أيك ادبعدوره الكليند كم الخنان كومورون

تصور ميس كيا كيا الى طرح حسب مرورت اقبال قاسم كوبلايا

بالب اورجب وه كاجتوا وغلب وشكريه اداكر كان محمر

يشف كامتوده وباجآب كرجب تماري ضرورت موكى يحرياا

لیں کے۔ ای طرح شعیب محر کے ماتھ ہو آرہا ہے شعیب کو

الدجيدة تنازم كالزيماني وحش كاجارى بكدو

یا کستان کو کر کٹ ٹی بلند مقام دلوانے والے خابران کافرو

ے۔ میمی عران قان اے تاہند کرتے ہیں اور میمی اے

کاف بردہ مجید موجات میں۔ حال بن میں دورد آسریایا اور عددی این کی ایم کے سالیشن میں شعیب مجد کام شال م

میم ملکون کرتے وقت میرث کے اصول کو اپنانے کا

رأف الا أكيا والاكد جس من أم كاطان مواس ال

ودروز فل وأس كب كالأكن المورش كميلا كياس شعب

محد كو نور نامن كايمتري كالأزى قرار ديا كيااورني ي ي في كو

مايدولس كب كالظامر كيد ادابندند آل اور سيبك

جگہ جن کھلاڑیل کا اچھب عمل عل الا یا کیاان کی اسٹی کی ا کاد کردگی بھی صفر تھی اور اب تک ہونے والے بیجیل کی

کاد کردگی مخر کا دی۔ آب بالآخر انتخاب عالم نے بال انوار منظر عالم نے بال اول انوار شبیب کے کا میر بالیا یا یا ہے کین شبیب کے

ماتھ یہ بہت بدی دیادتی میل کے کراس کے مررایک کوار

لكتىب كداسكور كرودرندا بركروس عاق محاوري كحدوية

کے ساتھ شعیب آسریلیا پہوا ہے میرے خیال میں ایک مالت جکر پاکتان کی بیٹک محسما اونظر می سلس اکام

ہوری ہوشیب کو دوہرے دیاؤی جا کرناہے یہ وچر

واقعات ہیںورندنی می فی نے ایسے ایسے کام اے نمایس

انجام ديے ين بس كى وجد ياكتان كو مامل مقام حم مو

تعاعران كامرار بمي شال مدموسكا-

درمیان فازعد لبتائی دارا فكومت كى بيسانی اكثرتی آبادى كے علاق ائی جان کی قرانی دینے کے لئے بھی تاریس انسوں نے کما کہ و افغانستان عن برقست رقیام اس کاتبر کے بورے بوراد اس کے افغانستان عمل برقانی سے دری انتام

اعلى معزت ام افغانستان من قيم اس كي تقع كاظمار كرتيهو ي اعلى حضرت اير ئے افعان موام کر قدر دیا کہ دہ اسے وشعیل سے ہوشیار دیں۔ بو ان مغیل شاہنگٹر مجیلائے کی کوششی کر دے ہیں۔ اضوا نے اس وقع کا عمار مجی کیا کہ لمان عمل اس کے لکتے ہوگئش کی جاری

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بعد آل ایب کے قریب اسرائی استال میں پیچایا گیا۔ یا دوری : ج جل على بقراملاي وبنما يرايم البازوي كارشت وارب ، فلسطيق مخفيراشتهارات ايك بنواجي ميل ١٠ دريا دُمِتُ مَا خَيْ كُارِدُ الدَلِطَاقِير

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# مشرقي بيروت مين فوج اور عيسائي مليشيا فور سزكي بيركول مين واپسي

تعزيل كيدونق دستار مسالي لميناء اداكين افي اليركل جیت کرنے کی جگ کے خاتمہ کے لئے ذاکرات شروع کر ویئے

نى ى يۇپىنى ئىلاقا كەنگە مرفرازاس دىت فرنىشلاش يولر تھے

اسلام آباد کامظاہرہ دراصل حکومت کےخلاف تھا مثیریاؤ

جده - ۱۸ م فود کی ( تماکده خصوصی ) حوب مرحد کے | عدات پیت کر رب تھے انہوں نے کما کہ بدیام زمانہ کاب دن واعلى الدينيل بال مرحد كمدر آفلب تيرياؤك كاب كد المام آبادي بوسفوالاهاليدائس سأك واقد كومت كفاف أيك فير جمودي قدم تعادراس كاستعمد طومت كم لئ متفات پدا کر اتحادہ جدد س مرے کی ادائی کموقع راخباری اما مروس

وك دى ب- ادحراندان يى درائع ايان في في مركارى درائع امكانت كى فتاعدى كى ب- اخيد ئائىز سفار بى وحكيول كى جى الله والمكيول كى جدد برطانى الله كا امناسب قرار وسے ہوئے ارائی صدر کے گزشتہ روز کے میان کی مات کی ب اہم اخبار فے امر افی روعمل کو عالمی قواشین کی ظاف

كامن بندم كمياث الان فيط كمان تعمير-

امريكه او بورسد يحرش اس كماب كي أنك شي زو دست اضاف وحميا لروی بے چکے ملک عن پیلے ہے موجود کمایوں کی قروفت می بینو کر کاملای تقیم کی شخصت را فوا کیا ہے۔ او حوام مصری کی تھی۔ وکان پرید ندم کمل دکھائی ٹسی وی ۔ امری کی کب فروش کا

کی وضاحت کرتے ہوئے امر کی مغیر پریدٹ روکن نے کما کہ اسریک امرائیل کی بھٹی الیسیوں کی خالفت کا تھارر طاکر چاہے میل قراد وادی مقم یا اجا کہ کر امرائیل اقدامات پرکڑی تھے چھی سے جانے ك مقال أس كاكافي والدنس ويا كماكده كن حالات كاور ب بسياد ومرد فرق كى زيادتى كياب كو لسل كدرات كم مايتي مريك فالك مباول موده تجويز كيافها جس شاتمام فريقول مع ے کام لینے کو کما کیا تھا وراقیام تھی کے زیر اجتمام اس کافونس کانوال مذف کردیا کیا تھا کیلی جائز دیگر تھوں ناسعدد کردیاجس

ك نعيش استاجان سي التي تدكيا كيا-

خبال كى تديدى ب كدان كالكسساى تعدد بريتين دكماب

ودي المناه يعنى سفار تازيل كاكمناس كرسلمان رشدي كاموال

بكستر اردن عبنس الماقادراس كجدى احاب فرج كي فانزك كانتانه واتحال جوده مال على البازوري رقاع بناه كرى تحب كارب والاتحارات تروفروري كومرير كول كلف ك

(Y- Y411Y-Y) تمذیبیا فٹ یرمکون احول کے دلعادہ مسلم پاکسانی جو کیفے حماد کاش ( نزد اسلام آیا دیوٹل ) کرہ بعد یا ہے جلی كي البيون كى موات كرماة دمستاب بدر

ادريي يرزث دستيابين

#### علاقه لميشياه كي مملدار في من تعا- جزل اون كاسطال ب يك مليشاء بروت فالى كردك ويسكول كافاة رك كردس اورنام فماد قوى ترقیاتی کونسل مجی مؤکردے جس کے تحت تعلیم اقتصادی ادر مشتق

كالكرة عان ف كاب كرفام ثله كومت افتانسان كركى الجي الما قات سي كري كاوراس حم كى الوايس معاداور اللاي - يادرب كرشد روز نماز بعد كربعدا فرار لويول سيات چے ترکے ہوئے افغان صدر نجیب افدائے کماتھا کہ انہوں نے اسے مِنُول مِين فكومت مخالف مظاهرين اور يوليس مين حجسط بيريء

روم - ۱۸ فروری (رائش) افغالستان کے سابق شاہ ظاہر شاہ

شہنشاہ ہیرو ہوگی ترفین کے موقع یر سخت ترکی حفاظتی اقدامات

مِلُوس جنازہ کے تحفظ کے لئے بولیس نے وسطی ٹو کو کے

بهت جرف علاقي سخت هاظني الدالمت كي بين وسطى

و كوين واقع شاى كل مع جلوس جنازه معرفي و كيويس واقع

كر بمس مرف شاى فاعدان كاركان كيوان كى حاطت

بوليس في التابيتدا تقلل حردورول كي تنظيم كاكوروكوير

الزام عائد كرت موئ كماكداس عظيم في كرشد ممريس

ميرويوكي علالت كے بعد شائى فائدان سے وايسة اللاك و

جا کیوں پر سرو علے کرے جاء کرنے کی کوشش کی۔ ان

بيرويو كود فن كياجائ كاور دغر جكول يريناف "أتحيل

ليكسبن يرفتم برمحار

ر بنماؤل کی محافظت کرئی ہے۔

ے پینے بات والے یہ راکٹ مقام اجلاس سے جار کاد میر عی شیس کرنی ہے بلکہ مغربی ممالک اور مشرق وسطی سے اہم

جایان کے شمنشاہ سے دیٹوجو، بنوری کو، ۸ سال کی عمر

عل التعال كرك اورجن كي دفين ٢٠ فردري كومل عن آئ

كى 'بوليس في جابان كانتايد جمايد ارول كى جانب س

اس موقعه برعكة خمله كهي نظرانتالي محد حفاقتي اقدامات

كتي بن اور توكوك بشره ارشل لاء جيه افقاره پش كر

م تیکن کے موقع پر پایس کی فوی کی تعداد پندرہ سے بدھا ار چیس بزار کر دی تی ہے اور جے بدھا کر تیس بزار کر دیا

جائے گا۔ پولیس نے اصلی ایرانسیاری بی داست اس فولو بی می دیمنے میں میں آئی۔ وسلی فولو میں موکوں پر جگہ جگہ رکاوش کوزی کر دی گئ میں اور موثر

الادين كى الملك الله في شروع كروى جاتى بيزيدليس ف

هنيدائيروث كاطراف واقع دوبرار عذائد كمول كو

مر بمركر ديا ہے بيرو يوكى مدفين كے موقد ير فير مكى ممان

اس موائی او مرازی کے لوکوش آخری مرتبہ ١٩٨١ء ش

ملت اتعادى ممالك كى مرراى كافرش ك موقد ير مناز

فيركى رسما شركت كي في أست عد ال وقت بايان

کے سب یوے انتالیند کروپ واڈ کاکھائے اجلاس کے معالم کے داکھ مانت کے داکشت میں تھے تھے۔ قری عادت

م الشريفة إلى في من التاليندول كو كر فاركياجن ك

اس ماہ بحرو ہوئو کی ترفین کے موقعہ پر جایان کے انتظا

پندول کی جانب سے برے بیانے پر جار حال کاردوائی کا

مكان ب سوت زائد ممالك كيواجم معدد وزرات

اعظم اور باوشاه اس موقعه برجایان پیچی محسان می مید

مشرق بیوت کوجاه کر دے مگاہ و جھلے جودہ سال کی حانہ جنتی میں کافی

حد تک پچارہا ہے۔ مارونائٹ تربی رہنمانے جو کے روز حریف

ار والله مران الفريدي كراني في جس ك ميد عن بيسائل

لميشاه فومزم وكان من كالدفئ مادة كاكترول سمال سك

شلوین کے مطابق شرق پریت یم آج نرظا معمل را کی اور مینانی طیشیاه کی موددگی کوئی آجد تس سے اوائی ہے پہلے یہ

ميول من كومت ك ظاف جلسة كامتعور تليث وجان كراور

ائتا بند طلباء ادر سای فالغین کی پولیس کے ساتھ محمی بدلی

جمزي موكم بالنشر مظاهري وسدوموتك في تحداد ومشمل

فليواعي مؤكل يروليس وحلدكرك ماك والقديدان

ے میلے فرز نے جم کی تری براروں سی بیان کی گئے۔ ور ی شم

کے پارک کی اک علی کر وی اور ہیم کو حشر کر دیا ہ جلس کے ایک جو سے کا کہ حق کر دیا تھ جلس کے اور کا جو کو ا

مظہرین پر امرائل فین کی ہر تھ کے تیجہ سی چھلے دو دنوں میں

کوچی سفیر

للك وسقوالا يروانك بليخ تنده

يقين: ـ

امریک جاری بش اور فرانس کے صدر فرانسوال مترال بھی ہم ، محوث کی ایدوفیرہ می محکم متم

دور کرے جسے داستہ متحد کڑھے ہا گئے۔

تعنب وكي بمعاف كي تركيب أرموني

يں۔ بتل ول نے كما كدم معقبل كامال مرف شدا جاتا ب اہم جهانگیرخاںنے آسٹریلیا کے رس کو ہراویا باوليس في جنون كارست رول ميا ، بش كت آمديت من حرف كرياسي بعجامي منطالع ي مد- ۱۸ فردن (فائدہ قصوسی) پاکتان کے مالی اسکوائش چیکی جانگروان نے کوشتہ دونا عالی جدہ می دنیا کے فہر جنل كوريا - هار فردى (اب) جنل كورياكدار الكومت | ك فوال سبديد دافلي راسيل مركاري عمارات اور يويل ٣ کلائی کرس ڈیٹسار کو ١٣ - ١٥ - ۱۵ - ۱۵ - ۱۵ - اور مفار تخانول برباره م إرب ذا كديوكس اركان متعين كي مختص 10- 2 = براكر مامياكي ك سلط من بوف والى دوميون ك طك عن الوزيش كمب يوا الحادث كرشة روز بعدت ميريز كايسان يكيميت ليا- جما تكير فان يوجه مرتبه عالى عيمين بوت كا دس روزه احتیای معم شروع کرنے کااملان کیا تھا ہو 22 فرودی کو ائد عدن ريخ كي دب مركى مدر جاري كرد ياكادوره كردب مراوي انول فاب فاس جار طارا كانت كيل را في عمل كرنسندكى- كيل كالقام يرسودى وب كالحريظ وندار

یں۔ پولیس نے اس کے جواب میں برخم کے مظاہروں پر پائندی مائد کر دی اور کھا کہ مظاہر کر نے والیں کو اگر قرار کر ایاجات گاور سخت مزاوى جائے گی۔ ملک کے جونی شرقان بھو سے سلنے والی اطلاعات كمطابق وليس في طرفست جلسكرسفى كوشش اكام يناغ جانے كيد سيكورل طلاحادد كاركتان في ليس ري تواؤكا

كُلْخَايِّة الرَّوْنِفُوذِ استعال كرك كل 'بالخصوص ان فيعلون كي روشق اریک آب ای اس کافراس کے موڑ ہونے کے ظریہ کو قبل کر ا

ے اور معالمات بھتری کی طرقب جارہے ہیں۔ امر کمی ا نکار بجلدین کی ارداد دوک کر صورت حال کے قانن کو قراب نیس کر

ف كمأ كرمون مدد كايقام موصول ويكاب إجماس على كالل مددت اسلحدوالي اسكومين كطيحتيار ب

مكك انسال فرحد كماكد جلدين اوانعان كومت كماين اسلى كلدم واذن كالم العل فيس- دري الناموان المان كر عان عى موديت اسلى ك وفائر رامركى تشويش كا كرشس كياكيا وحر ليسامر كي يُلوين كانتروي دست وكافعان مدد نيسبا شد كما كه اكر امريكه جمايه بارون ي في اراد بدكرد بد قالن كي حومت

اظمار خیال ایک وسط النوع انترویس کیاد واشکن کے وب امر کی اخبار "الاس" می شائع ہوا ہے عالی اس کافراس کے برے عى انول في كماك متليد فيل كركافونس بولي جاسية بكديد

وہشتہ کر دی محداقعات میں ۲۹۰ سے زائد افراد ہلاک کے جانچے راست ذاکرات م مجد کرنے کے لئے ایا اثرور س خ بروے کار لاٹ کے قاتل ہوگی۔ کو تی سفر سے اس روز کی دیگر موضوعات م

كهاس كمانعقاد كاموزول وقت كونسابو \_ انسول نے كماك عالمي اور عرب دائے کے مطابق الی کافرنس ی ویوں اور اسرائیل کے درميان فراكرات كاواحدة ربد بعو مصفلته جامع اور مستقل تصغير كامودب وكيد المول ف كماكداب زير بحث معالم اس كالفقاء وفياند بوف كالمع بالكراس كالمعاد كاوقت بالداس

تجه كاتحاد امراكل يرب كد آياد الى كافرنس على مركت ر

اے ٹور نامن کے فائنل میں پہنچ گئی کعت - ۱۸ فودی (عرب ٹائسز دیدے) گزشت دون ایمی گراؤیزر کرکشسکے لیک دلیسپ مثل بلزیرہ الحالیا بی اب كركت فود احت ك يي فاعل عن حدد آياد كر كمت كلب كي تيم يدانت استارز كو فلست ويكر فائتل على يني كل- برائث استارز كي وانب سے کیلتے ہوئے ابیت نائر فدعی اور محد علی فدے ارز عائي ان كى يم ف مقرده لودد شي كل ١٣٢ مر در اسكور ك حید آباد کر کٹ کلب فعطل دن محل دود کیل کے فتعمال پر اسکور کر لئے۔ بچکاک خصوصت پی الی سیدنھی ادر ایم استاکی ک

فوص مستنظم في جنول في أكث بوت يغيم ١٢٥ روز اسكوركر كافي نم كوفت بمكتار كرويا\_

۲۲ رانگست ۱۱ استمبر الماسية آپ کی محت آپ کی خوابشات کے مطابق نسس ہول کی سے اپ می موجہ ملت مطابق نسس ہول کی محت المجھ مطابق نسس ہول کی حصرت المجھ مسلم المجھ المجھ المداد مسلم المجھ کی مسلم کی المجھ مسلم کی المجھ کا مسلم کی المجھ کی المجھ کا مسلم کی المجھ کی المجھ کا مسلم کی المجھ کی کا مسلم کی کھی کی المجھ ک

رع ميزان الماري

۲۲ رسمبرهٔ ۲۴ را کتو بر ملى .... إحماليندى اورمبالغد آرانى سے كام تايس خاص طور پر کمی معالمات میں ان سے ابتداب پرتیں ا كالسائد أب تمال كالثارين كول مانت أير كام ندكري - أن ك دن كيار عن يطال ند ہوں۔انعاقسے کاملیں۔

١٢٧ داكتوبرنا ٢١ داومبر المنسسان أب ليدائي مجت من وقت كرار میں کے المواقی می اثرات کی بدات آب می کمی قدر بے مین کے رخالت بدا موں کے ملے رقاد يات كى محراد كوشش كريد التلب كرية وقت



۲۲ رنومبرتا ۱۲ رقیمبر من سرید کی کوشش کریں۔ آن آپ کی تدریقی موس کریں کے اس کے نادک موضوعات سے کریو کرنے کی کوشش

كريد- ايك الزيات ي آب كومجود كرا بد



وارايريل ما وارمئي منة .... الل توسمي يحت بين الجميل اوراكر الجويمي م من المال يرزي كا كلَّ واز مي إلى الله الله على ما ما ما ما دومرول کی جانب یکی اور تر خواتی کامظامرہ کریں جایل

بحرومه ينس-ارج بوزا -٧,٨٠ كا ١٠٠ رسيرن

ہنے.... آپ فود کو حالات کے مطابق یہ آمانی ڈھال عمی مے لیکن اس کامطلب یہ نمیں کہ آپ بلاچہ مجموعہ کر لیں مادر ۱۲۳ پ کی توش تستی کے اعداد ہیں۔ ایٹاوڈن نہ بیٹ دي- والشعاري ايتاس-

١٢ رون ما ١١ رولاني

ار منتری کے ماتھ 🖈 ..... بنتر منتری کے ماتھ مكر آپ كوزياده خود عماريخ من مددوس مك اكب ايك داني سطات من عمل كان في صحت كاخيال وتحیل- منامبردیدانتیاد کریں۔

٢٢ر بحرلائي ما ١١ راكست

الله المائد كر بهتر الرات كي بدولت آب ايخ امولول برقام روسيل مع انقدر آب كاماته دي لی لیکن اس بری تلمه کر کسته بیندرین - مثل سلم کا مجداوراستال كري - فراضل ي كاملي-



۲۰ ..... بمترقم ي اثرات آب كومي فيعله كريزين عددیں کے مرکام کوائی مرضی کے مطابق کرنے کی کوشش ند کریں ' دومرول کی بلت مجی دهمان سے



۲۰ دخسمبر نا ۱۹ دمیوری الله .... أب في الياج كام كرويات جم ك

۲۰ رستوری نام ار قروری ید .... بریات آپ کی خوابش کے مطابق نسی

رج بوت على المراج

منا..... بمتر مشمى ازات آب كوايك مشكل شخصيت کے ساتھ مطلات محاف میں دوویں کے اکوشش كري كه آب كى ترك ديات كوير احال رے ك آب کوائ کیا خرورت بادر آبات چاہم ا الی ادعتی مولی خواک پر نظر رکھی الحق سے کام

منس\_ براهمادرين\_

بارے میں بچر کمانس جاسکاب آپ کواس کے دیار کا کی درداری قبل کر نامولی ایٹ اور بچراددا حاد کرنا

تیکیں و مرول پر شر کرنے کا بھی کول سب نسیں ب احدال ہے کام لیں۔

مولی کی آب برے مالات می می ایسی کار کردی کا مظاہر کر سکس کے خود کواد مراد مر بین کے کی اجاز ت

۱۹رفردری ما ۱۹رماری

۲۰ مارح کام ارابرل



ارانی حومت کے ایسے حامرے الحایا ہے و مغرب کے ماتھ تعلقات كے خلاف من الم ايراني مقار اكار اخور زيدائ في كما ے کام الی د شاکاتونی قالس فرجی وجد کاب جبکه مرب می است ساکار مک دیا جلم اید دری اتاء سلمان رشدی کی المید معردف الل تاريم ال وكان الله كالما المامت كرسلط عرام كم كليد معرق رويات ان كليك تر على إلا فيا نوسول کو تا ایک و گذر نے یہ دامہ ایٹ شیر کے شاف کل کی و حمکیل سے خواد و موکر مشوع کیا ہے۔ یاد دے مہم الد معتقد المران وكتزر شلك كاددم فيصل ب

كراف شرف كرشت مى كردواس وجت كاير ملاواتقب بدب كير يدوى طالب الم كرج جويل كدور كركة مى كرديا كيا الد امرائل في بالفرات عيث شرقي القدس كالملاقب العامل امرائیل می شال کر اید وری انگاه آج همیوند فوجی می ایک قسطین فادوان زخول کی نمسنداد کروم وژکیاده اس پیشخه مرائی

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# عروابس مل محت مين بجر بيدالى دخوان في فيقين محدد ميان فائر بدى كومتكم كرف اود دفق فاتور تريف كروين كالم في درى

<sup>ا</sup> يات شيطاني پري<u>سم</u>ن پايندي ما ندگ جانيجي نتمي ادم عوام ک حالت پريتين <u>ڪتا</u> مي

بقين : مشدى معانى ات ير اخت افوس بوا ب كدان كى كاب ف اسلام ك ي شرائيل كوزى انت يميل المرب لا كناف هائرى للا المرب ال مال ال وفاكرد يجرب المسيد في عواد ك المردمون المواد الديب بن الم كرد برياكم ملسي ممرى ادارها المواد المواد الم ك معيد الكرد عن هو الما في المواقي ملان المواقد المواق مايم كرشترودا يرانى مددعى خاسنتى فكماتما كداكروه اتبهو معلى الك لي وقتى والس لياجا سكناب معري كاكتاب ك م ائی معد کے اس بیان کے بعد وطانوی پیلشر اور دیگر فراتول کی لرف سے سلمان رشدی پر دباؤ ڈالا کیا ہے کہ وہ آئب ہو کر انی د مل کولا می حفرات محلت وال علم س ام اس بان عار عار

رانجل کو اس خصوم کلب کی فوضت سے سط کردیا ہے جکم برطانیہ کے اشامی اوار سے کلسے خام کے توری سے واقع مذکر دیے ہیں۔ یاد رہ اس ادارے کو روال بنتے کے دوان بم دحاکیل کاد حمکیل موصول علی تھی۔ اوطر بعرین کا کھنے کہ شيطاني آيات ك ظاف بول والم مظامرون اور روعمل كياجد ب ادحر كينيداكي مكومت فيطاني آيت كوفرت أكيز لنريج كي مرست من شال كرت موسة مك عن اس كي در الدير يا بندي عائد وى كل هيد كينيذا كرونها قراكوس علي في كما كريه الآيام اليرا

ديۇ

للبرنس بوني والمياك معاني الياني وحمكيون ست خوف دوه موكر ما کی گئے ہے افرد رائع فیتا ہے کہ یہ بان سلمان رشدی اور بلشر ادارے و کگ کے فکام کے انتہا کی گئے کی گھنے و شدید کے بعد جاری بواد حرید طافق مسلمانین کی بخیموں ناس بوان کافری طور پر فیرمقدم کیا ہے بھیم برائے شدیعی بردیاری کی طرف سے جاری وفوائد بان على كما كياب كرير طائوي مسلمان سلمان رشدي کال بیان کافیر عقدم کرتے ہیں اور امید کرتے ہیں اس کلب کا بدا کردہ عران اب فتح ہوجائے گا جکہ ایران کی مرکزی فررسال مجتنى ارنا كے مطابق سفمان رشدى كى دضاحت اور معذرت مائب وسفك معيار برورى فعي الزقيا ورناكافي ب

> ان لوگول کے مطلات کا جائزہ کے کی جنول نے پاکستانی باسبورث اورشافتي كارة ماصل كرائت بي اوراكر اس حمل عل فیطازی ایت ہو تنی کہ مماترین نے پاکستانی شریت عاصل کر لی بیتوانس زیرد کی دالی افغانستان مجتور یاجائے گا۔ آنہم انمول خطاب کرتے ہو کام الی مدر مردعی خاستی نے کہا تھا کہ اگر نے کہ اس ایج میں میں میں میں ان میں ہے۔ افغانستان تھا اس خام کلب کا مستق آنب ہوکر است سلمہ سے سطان الگ نے کا خاص ہو گاہ وائیں شمی جائیں ہے۔ انہوں نے بتایا کہ پاکستان ت ماجرين كى دائي كے اللے اقوام حصد كے كمشرى اللے ممايرين بن مدرالدین افاقال سدابط قائم کر رکھا ہے۔ انسول نے ينا كرماي ين كى دائيى ك تمام افراسات الآم منها يرداشت رے کی اس کا تخید ۱۵ کروزروب لگایا کیا ب اور بروگرام پر ملدد استراكيست ومال كاومراك مكتب المول اعشاف كياكه مكومت في برودي مرتض بناف في الع علم كو تربيت ونا ترورا كر وي بيديد بعدي مايزين كو مرتكس مات ارے کی تربیت دیں گے۔ انہوں نے تایا کہ حکومت مماج ین کو ان صوول می جائے میں مدر کی و مطدین نے آزاد کرائے میں اور اگر ودکل جانا جائی تو مکرمت اکو تمام ملان سے جانے ک

مهاجرين کی واپسی

مازت دے کی اور تن او کارائن می دے گا۔ بقین : ر فرانس ایران ملمان رشدي كم طلاف امراني رجماك لتب كيند مت كي ب امر ای دو ممل سے متعلق و دوات کی بداہ پر فرانسی سفیر کو وایس سران مائت مارمي طور يروك ليأكيا عدار عمان سفتا يأكد بودي راوري كوزرائ فأرجه أكدو بغة يروسلز كاجلاس على الرائي روعمل سے پیدا ہونے والے جوان پر فور کریں گے۔ یاد دے منوبی برسی نے بھی اپنے ناقم الامود کو تعران سے واپس طلب کرر کھلیے۔ معربی کا کمنا ہے کہ ابرائی ہنمائی طرفسے پرطافی ک شری کے ال کافتی ویے روطانوی رومل تدرے زم ہونے کا سید آبتان عمی تمین برطانتی بر قالیوں کا مستقل ہے جکہ برطانیہ بہا یہ ادری کے دریعے حصد روقمل کی کوششین کرمہا ہے۔ گوشته دوز قرائس کے دریا تھم کھڑا دو کارٹے بھی بورگاہ ادری پر ندر ویا تھا کہ وہ ارائی ، حکمیاں کے مخالف حجہ بوجائے۔ چکر

> كتلينم كى دنيامين بس ايك هى نام اعلى الديمز ترين مردس- كم تر زخ روانكى كمشير برائے لاھ

فرانسي ندان عى ترفيف كے حقق خريد فوالد در من حق

۱۸ وزوری میم مایسی

نے اخیار نویسوں کو قایا کہ اب جبار جنیوا معلیدے کے مطابق افغانستان سد مودمت فوجول كى واليتي محمل بويكل ب مودمت اوين نے امریک سمیت متحدد ممالک سے در خواست کی ہے کہ انفاشتان ي قيم الن كم الح سويت كوششول كاما تدوي الكرمستقل کی حق خ فرین سے بچاجا سکے۔ تر تمان ف امید فاہری مالی دہما افغانستان عن قيام امن كار موقع دائع كال مين جالي وس ك

افغان يچ

ياء عن ٥ مال أن الريت بيط القال كرجات تق كوتك

افغانستان مي ملان معالج أن مولتين نه جوف كرابرين.

والغزميدالسلام جلال فسنتايا كداس فلكسابي فاموش اكثريت فلك

اوسای آگ ک معلول سے محفوظ دیکھنے کی خواہل ہے آک ہم

ائی آنده نسلول کو بچاسکیل- انسول سنے کماک ان زخیول میں

راکن جانب والفافل محدوق کسیدی بوسط می این الله می این الله معدوق الله محدوق الله می این الله می الله

زُنْي بِجُ زَيِهِ عَالَ فَي إلى - لِعَلْ وَاردُولِ عَلَى أَلِكَ لِمَرْمِ تَمِن تَمِن

ي لنائ كن بي اور كمو في طور ير ٢٠ افيعد مريض يج محبائش

ت زیاده میں۔ اوریات کی قیشیں آسان کو چمو ری میں اور

میتال کا بہت : وے کے وار بے نظن م کاری منامب پر

مونده اور انس مامل كرف كوفرابال دونول طبقول كواليني

کہ انہانمودی وزارت مظمیٰ کے حدے کے امیدارول میں

ر الهداودى ودوت ال مدت ميد الموادا من الهداود من المراد من الكاكر أي الم تحت محود من الكاكر أي المراد مقد من الكاكر أي المواد المحتمد والمراد المحتمد والمراد الكاكر المراد المحتمد والمراد الكاكر المراد الكاكر ال

مقيمة سيست ميروك عمال

لفنص جروح بواب \_ بات انمول في الديمين سكرودد

دودان اخبار لويسول عيات جيت يم كى انمول ف كماك عادا

ول بیشد بدوائی ہے بلک میں ایے معاملات بر وائش مندی اور

مند عل عد فرد كرت كي بعد ابنا دو عمل طابر كرنا جاسيت

مروك على المري كاكراسول في سلمان رشدي كي بلي دونيل

بروت میں برے ف اور موات مسلون مسلون براویوں کائیں پڑھی میں کین بہ کلب مسلم وانشودوں کے مطابق تیمین آمید مواد پر مشتل ہے انہوں نے مورد کما کہ اس کاب کے فاق مظاہرے غدد آئی کرنے کی کارددائیوں اور کیل کے فوے سے

ات دیدام کرده فرس فی بسیده مالات می مکن دهی اور ایسا تلب تی تبدی سخی قبی انهیار ند کها که ان کی تنظیم نے کوشود

ومرش اس منازر كماب كالتعبلي مطالب كاروكرام بنا ياتعااد

اس كے طاف سائنليفك رو عمل كى متعوب يتقل كر رى ب

انموں نے کماکداس کاب کا تحریری جواب بھترین و مل ب آک

ن بدب سی مسلم طلہ کی ایوی ایش کے ایک بیان سے والے سے بنایا کہ بورب کے مسلم طلب نا اوائی وہما کے فوے پر حمل

کیونکہ اس درم کلب کی اشاعت ایک میرطاقت کی طرف ہے۔ اسلام کی خلاف مادش کا حدیث دری انگاه امیان کی مرکدی خیر

، مال اینبی ادار در اعظم میرخسین موسوی کے وار اے سے بتایا

ب كدام إن نيط ك فلاف مغرني ممالك كالمنجاع باجواز باو

اے نظرا عاد کر دیاجات کا یادرے گزشته نماز محد کے اجماع ہے

أرك في مام وسال موت كاولات كاعم اراده كراياب

ر شدی مند و وی کوباطل ایت کیاجا سک

تمنده نسلول كى كونى يرداه نسيل-

بفيس . \_ مرى لتكا

بقين

مقیس،۔ سنٹے کے عادی أذر يالي جان من كر فقر كما كيا- المداد منشيت كما ع الفان <u>کے اور ہونے کے بعداب تک ۲۵۸ء افراد تشتے میں طوٹ یائے</u> محصين ارازه ب كراران عل وسلاكه افراد فق سكماوي بين بند غير سر كارى طور ران كى تعداد ١٢٠ كونتانى جاتى سے ت فاؤن پڑل مُروع بونے اب تک هدا افراد کو بعالمی کی مرا وى جاجكى ٢٠ فيا قانون ٢١ جنورى كولا كوكما كما تما تعاجس كي تحت مندات رکھے بر موت کی مزادی جا سکتی ہے جک فقے کے عادی افراد كوجداد كاندد تشرفك كرفيكي مسلت دي تقي

امرعی ایداد كماكد انساني ببياد طي ير جلدين كودى جائية والى امر كى اراد سفاس سام عص فيعد من كرواد اواكياب جيك مالات ٢٥٥ منن والرى فرق ا مرار مجی دق جاتی دی ب در بر انتاه فرق اجرین کاخیال ب ک مرکہ کے سندی میزائیل نے بمی چگ کا پائٹر پلنے بمی ایم كروادا والبلب اوادى يوكرام كوالريمة كشنك كاكملب كم اس بدارام كر حد محد تعليم اور زراحت ك شعبول يم يحل افتان باشدول كو مدوى كن إادر زخيول كمال محالية ما كن ١٦ موافظان باشتعيل كوابتدائي فتي ايداد يرطر يق سكمائ

بقين به جيب محفوظ شدا الله کاتسوری طرح جموع بواجد تجیب بخوطات کماک الل نظریات کوداست نظر پیشش کسادر پیچ کم کیاجا مکایستان لے علاء کو قرر کا عواب قریر سے دیا جائے تھانہ کہ الل کے ا منات جاری کریک انسیل نے حرید کما کہ محوسیل کی طاقت وجروت تظريات كومجي موت كي فيونيس ملاسط مفروف واخ موستسى ديج بن ميكن ان معروضول كونظا عابت كرف كيلي مح

ادر ماديتي طيو يرمشنونظم باحد كويمي تحرير كي مودت عن ساين ا

قاس ك خلاف قل كافتان والس لياجا مكاب-بقيى: \_ سلامتى كونسل

باکستانی روپے (نی بزار) ۹۹۰ – ۱۱۳

(فیبرار) ۲۲۰ – ۲۸۸ (تي برار) ۲-۲۹۰

٠٠- ٤ المتاحى اعلان ١٠- ٤ تلادت قر آن كريم ١٠- ٤ بمترين قبل ١١- ٤ يروكرام كا خلاصہ ۱۷- 2 گائے ۳۰ سے اخباروں کے رائ ٢٠٠ م ١ ايك خيال ايك كماني ٥٠٠ ٨ خرس ۱۵-۸ آج کا انتخاب ۲۰-۸ گاتے ٣٥ ـ ٨عربي سيحية ٢٠ ـ ٨ كيت كماني ٥٠ ـ ٩

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ابرابام لئكن شعروادب

(عبيراف کليم)

۱۷۱۸ تیسی میٹروڈ کئے اسمن معاہدہ سے ویکس ١٦٢٣ ني.... معامده ويست ششرك تحت

بیش قدی کی۔ ١٨٠٣ أ.... سونشز رليند من أيك معامده

1909 نیسد لندن میں قبرس کی آزادی کے کئے ترکی ' یونان اور برطانیہ میں معاہرہ ہوا۔ ١٩٢٣ : ... امر كى صدر جان الف كينيدى نے اعلان کیا کہ سووےت بونین کو کیوباے انخلاکا

کرنی کے نرخ کوچی رینار کے مقالبے میں فیر کمکی

بحرفي ريتار (في بزار) ۲۵۰ – ۲۲۳

جاياتي ين سوس فرائک (ٹی بڑار) ۲۰۰– ۱۸۴ سعودي ريال (قيبرار) ١٠٠٠ - ٢٦ قطري ريال (تي برار) ١٥٠٠ - ٢٥

البية مست الكرورة كاليمارياب المول في كاليم

ولوی محمدی کے حق میں دستیرولر بونے کاقیملے سری سمجھ کر کیا ہے

ادراس سلسلس ان يركى كروب يا كومت ياكتان في كل دية مس والد انول في كمام من مياره مال مك افتان اتحادى فدمت كى بايداب إلى مرضى الكيور كاليعل كياب

محمدى اعتدال يعدوني كالة آزادى كمريراه ين جنول المايراني

ر بنداوں کے حل میں مجلس شوری کے اجلاس کابتیکات کر رکھ اتھا۔

ا فازهات ع كراف مك التي بالاقياى كانونس طلب كرني

م پاہنے جن میں مخارب فریقوں کو بھی تمائندگی دی جائے گی ما کہ اس

انيليون كى ترديدكى كد مستقبل كى كال حكومت كے مستلے برمورت

ا يرشن اور اقيام متحده س التلاقات يائ جات ين انول في

سكرنى جمل ي دوي كونيلار سه مطاليه كياكرود أحد ورك

امر کی در م فارج سے اپنی الا اللہ عمل افتال جمال ادر على ادر على الاقتاد مي مسائل يديات كريں۔ انسول ف

حرد کما کہ بیکرٹری حول قود طوص دل سے اس فوزیوں کے فیری

طت كالوال إلى الرواس والمطاعة المتعادة والمركى وزير مارجي

الم كلت وتندكري كاوهما كوي و فرقاد و كالكدر على

اعلى حضرت امير كے نام سوويت

قيادت كابيغام

نائب وزير احظم ووزير خارجه في صياح الاحر سد الاقت كي الورائيس اعلى حقرت اليرفخ جار الاحر كسيام موت آيادت كليفام بخيايا

إيدادان اخار ويول عدبات ييت كرت بوع في مال الاحد

ف كماكسيةم عرافقانستان مسوعة فيول كيدائس كيدريدا

ایران وعراق کے فوجی حکام کی بہلی ملا

ید آنده ده کوام ان اور موال کون حام آندین کورد موثر مان کم موری گفت دشید کست کیل بارط قات کررسیس بیات آج میل آنیام تهده کیا کمد تر تعان نے تائی تر تعان کے مطابق بد کا قات مردی طاستے میں آنیام تحدہ کی جعرفوس

كمكور يجربزل ملاكحوك كي مدارت يروى

بغداد - ۱۸ فردی (دائش) گزشته اگست می از بندی ک

مونية والى صورت حال برتبادك خيال كيا كياب-

كىت ٨١ فرورى (كونا) كويت كي تيات سويت سفير

المول ك علف كروب ملك عن المولى جيدات عن الي جي رفق البيات كروي على اليك من المالي جدارو على كرواك على المن على المن على على عن المن على على عن المن عن المن على عن المن عن

اسلام آیاد- ۱۸مر قروری (کنا) افغان مجایه مرول کی

مشادر آگو کہ مار کر اللہ میں اور موفوق کو ہی کری کا مداور اللہ کا اللہ میں اللہ کا ال

نوبیوں کوچایا کہ بیہ قیملہ آج کے اجلاس میں منعقہ طور مر ہوا اور

مثادرتی کونس کے ۲۰۰۰ر کان نے نعرہ تھیرکی مداوی ے اس

سيس برين مقد فيط كافتى كردى بدير علي في ميرية الإكباق ميدى كابينه تحاركان كامول كاعلان كونسل ككل كاجلاس ير بو كار شان فيها إكر ميرى حكومت كيدت افترار فيداد بوك اور 

وہ دیں آئے والی بخش میں آئیں اسمدر مکلت وروز پر اعظم کا احظب کرے گی۔ تر عمل کے مطابق مولوی محدی لیو الجیش احر

شاہ کل کے اجلاس میں آئی کلیت کے ماموں کی فرمت پیش کریں

مروان في محرى وكت الكاب اسلاى اى عامت كريراء

میں جبکہ احر شاہ اتحاد اسلام افغانستان کے معروف مرسمایں اور ب

ووفول عمامتي ملت عامتي افتان اتحاد كي ركن بي مشاور

کونسل کے تر معمان نے تیایا کہ آج کے اجلاس کی صدارت مولوی

نی حمل نے کی اور پرد قسر صبغت اللہ مجددی کی جگ انسی سامة

يمائق اتماد كاتيا مردادينا ويأكيا بسد ملت دكى افعان اتما

کے چیزی سینت اللہ مجدی نے آن میل ایک پرلس کا فرنس

ے قطاب کرتے ہوئے کما کہ اسمیل نے سی ترافعان اتحاد کی خاطر

كردامن عل كملفح ورموز مطلق كوششيل كاجا كيل بات

انول في كما كمة فازيرى كي مواطع بادار خيال كم التي وجلد

بجكريت وعلى الفائسان عدالس الحماية كالماين مايكي بين الملك

م خد جل كالل كاكل وادمس مويت مغير في كماك اقام

متحده کی طرف سے افغانستان می فائز بندی کی کوششوں <u>کے لئے</u> یہ

وتت موزول ترین ہے کیل کہان کوششوں کے بغیر ظیما حکومت

كمبار مدين اقيام تحده كي قرار واودل كوهمني جامد تسين بهنا ياجاسك

كانول في ميواسطوه يرمل در آد كاجائزه ليقوا في اقام حود

ك جعرى ير تقيد كرت بوك كماكديد لوك ابناوت إكتان عن

مودعة فيدول م الاستواسا جهابه الرطي كوخوداك ادديات اور

ما تقد نجر سمل كرا ما رباب الماسم كالكشاف أج يران اخبار

فاحل ے بات جت كرتے ہوئے فقد بوكرام ك والركمر

عینک کشنگ نے کیا۔ انوں نے کما کہ یہ بروگرام میں

اریقے ہے 19۸0ء میں شروع کیا گیا تھا اور اس کی بنیادی البات ۸

للن والرخي جكداس وقت تكساس كى الستدور كر ١٢١ المين موكل

ب- انسول نے کماروال ال سال على اس بوكرام كے الح ١٨

لين والرفق كالمحيم مينك كشنك فأكثاف كياكه

وطافترامركي تجرطارول كروري يتهاي كع جنس اكتان

ے رُکن کی اد کر افغان صدو ی چینے ارول کے والے کیا کیا جید محدد تجر اکتان ہے جی تریب سے اکمر باتری طالقی

موزي اسلى منوايا جامع انسول في كماكداس الدادي يرد كرام ك

تحت اکتان ش کید ترین مول می دم کرا گیاجی جائی در دارد تحر ساری کی تربیت دی جائی می ادراس سکول بی تربیت دیدے پر

مامود افراد اقتان باشتعا فقائدن في المركى شرى

تبيت بدامور قاس موقع باكتان يرامركي غيردار شادكے \_ كاكر افغان كوافعان ي كذر لية تربيت دى گادران ك

سلامتي ئونسل افغانستان مين فائر بندي

افغانستان میں قیام امن پر سوویت حکام اور اتوام متحدہ میں کوئی اختلاف نہیں 'سوویت سفیر کی پرلیس کانفرنس

اقیام حصده ۱۸ فروری (اینجنبز) اقیام حده می سودت مفیر / مرزارت بین جمال مسلمانشان مجاید اد مردود بین بلند کوف ند کما

الكريد باندكوف في مناحى كونسل معالد كياب كه ه كرما منى كونسل كوافيان فيال فرول الد تيب كومت كمايين القلامات كم الله كما الفلامات من الدواي كافون طلب كما

انول نے آن بمال ایک برلس مخفر س ایے قطاب ش کل پیٹ قدم مر تلید عکومت کامند حل کیا جا تک انوں نے ان

١٦٦ ملين والراليت كي خوراك اوويات اور ٥٠٠ مرامر كي فجريمي محك كشنك

چاود - ۱۸ فروری (دائش) امریک کیک خیرادادی بردگرام مسلم بدوری کامیانی کارازی کای می مغرب امریک سفر فرد در در در اختان تحداد دوسر مصفحه بر

یات رکنی افغان اتحاد کے حیرین صبغت النہ محدثی نے استعفا وسے دیا ،

افغان شورئ غمونوي محكوصداور

جھ مان ہیں مام انتخابات ہوں گے، کا بینہ کا عب ڈان آن کیا جائے گا

كل ١٨٠ زودى (ايخيز) افتان مدد نيب الخد فيك | يا كي ميار في الماست كيوكيا كياب انواست كاكر جيل المنظون في المنظون المنظ 

الرشرية كالحالت فالاكاله كالعلان كرديك وزارت فارجدك الكستر على فاس اللان عدا فبار توييل كو آكاء كرت يوع والأكداس الدام كالبعلة تعليه الدول كاطرف من كالسديم من

كال حكومت كمياس موديت اسلح كموسيع ذخائركي موجود كيش بياقدام ممكن نهيس الدلن فشز والط واعشن - ٨١ فروري (داعم) امركي حكم في اس امرك | خروري بهادد اكر سويت يوشي الزائفان: خاتر شرا مذافه كر كرب كالوامريك جلدين كالداوجاري ركي كالدر جلدي العام مامري والمداي كروكات كدمود عندمد سفاسية لكسيرة م كل معد الناي المخدماصل كرسكس كاورب كزشته جعرات كواخبار ويديل تورويا ب كدود افغان تحليد ارول كى فوى الداويند كردي مايم عباد چيد كرت بوكامركي مدد مان يش فيميان حم والشبائي كر على الرئي فن والرف كما كدام كى بالسي ش ك فيالات كاظرار كياتك انول في كماكد العافسان عي موت ى تردى كاكول امكان ديس كيوك عادب مدشات برقرارين-بیٹی نے اسلی کے و و مائز جموارے بیں ان کے بیٹی فخر امریک نیل نے کما کہ جدید ترین مونت اسلے کے وَقرول کِي احال کومت کے پاس موجود کی کے بیش فطر بلدین کیلیے امر کی ادار



مشرق وکی یں شاخ ہونے والا ہیسلا اُرد داخار

اتوارس رحبب ١٨٠٩ ه ١٩ فروري ١٩٨٩ ع جيف اليرير المسدمارالله

یا کستان نے افغان مهاجرین کی وطن دانیسی کاجامع پروگر ام تیار

وهسازي ببصابيا تتافي شريب حاصل كرزادا والكوارد وتني والأن بهيجه وجائه بخامها جراي في والهجي بيا قوام متجدوق وسور كروزروب فرج كرساه كي

ماترین کوان کی وطن والیمی کے سلسلہ میں برقتم کی ارداد قراہم

بسكام آباد- ۱۸ فيدي (حرب ناشو ديوث) عكرمت التي كرسكي- دياستين او مرضى طاقل سكروي ودر مي

عرب مغرب اتحاد کے قیام پراعلی

حفرت امير كويت كي مبارك باد

کیت۔ اللہ فیدی (کا) الل حنرت ایر کیت۔ قرب

البها الحاد بكياري بنهاق كوشيق ما در مال كيوس مراحش

ي كُرُشْر وو فَهِ فَي الْرَفِية كِي إِنْ مِن البول فِي الْقِداري الحادي

بيام كالمثلن كياهد الى حفرت اجرف مراحل كمثل حسابق

الوائر كم مدد شادل عن مدرة لي كمدرزي العادي المينا

محد شامعم القذال اور ارطات كمدسعيد او ادسيداجركو الك السعيدك بالديم الربيع بي جمي على الل معرت اليرا

ور علی اتحاد کے قیم ہے سرت کا عمد کرتے ہوئے گی۔ الکال افذا فیاد کا العمد کیا ہے۔ وہ ہی الکور کی سے العمد کے

عيد لا تي ملمان العليند من موب موب او وب العلن كول شك يع إدان كود شاق كومبذك إد كرينلت يي

اً زا دخلسطینی ریاست کے قبیلم اور وطن کو غاصبوں سے آزاد کرانے کے لئے فیلسطینی احتجاجی تبحرتک کو تعصیفی انفاظ کھیسے نہیں مثبت اقدامات کی عذم یہ لکے

# افغان عوم الني صفول بي أتشار معيلان والول مع يوشياردي ع مِس تَعاون كونسل اورع رب مغرب آنكار كحقيام كالمشريقة مع برب انجنش لك كافون سيختطاب

کے شد ۱۸ ر فروری (رائٹر۔ کونا) اعلٰ حشوت امیر کوست نے 🏿 تاریخی قسطین عمی عرب اور اسمادی ورثے کے تحقا کی ایمل کی: امرائل ترب كارى - خلوى ب- انول فاليترال - كارى ماري اليترال - كارى ماري ماري ماري ماري خلوع رکی آیک ایکی صورت امیر نے کا فونس کے افتای خلاب میں مور کما کر قسطین امنیای تحکیک کوجس نے آزاد السطین ريامت كي قيام كواد يواديك وعاصيل سي افي مردين كو نجلت والت ك الحاس وقت تعريف كالقلول كي تعيل العال كي مرورت بعراق اران دکسکبارے عمالموں نے کماکدالوا حقد کی قراد داد ۵۹۸ مرم حت کے ماتھ بھل طور پر عمار دکھ ہوتا چلیج تاکہ ایجی بسمانگی اور بھائی چلاے کی فضاء بیدا ہو تک

کاب کرج ممالک فود کوانسائی حق سے دایت کرنے کادعون کرتے ہیں اسراندلیوں سے اتھی تسلیندل کی باک رکوانے ے لئے داخلت کر کے آپ دون کو پار قیت تک بچائیں ا انہیں نے مرب اُجیزیک کافران سے خطاب کرتے ہوئے کماکد امرائل كذر بعد علاقل عن أيك مال دوله عد جارى المحكى تحكست وياجري فسطينول كا تليت عي اضاف بواع لين انہوں نے کما کہ بم جلح بیں کدن ممالک اس وصل اورائی کو امرائل بارجت بند كرائ بيت كوشت كوشتول على تبديل كري يو الداني حقق كدوقل كرائي بين الكروائ طور بايت عوك و ظم کے واف الدق حق کے ماتھ بید الل صوت احرے

في الوقت ذير بحث مئله عالمي امن كافترنس نهيل 'بلكه اس كے انعقاد كاموزوں وقت ہے 'شخصود الصباح



کل مارقهری (اپ) کلل می اندا گاومی جلدُرن بيتال كررود إركواه بي كرافانتان كي خلد جنّى سلسله أبحى يحسجارى سب كزشت عن يعتول كدووان مجادين كواكث حلول مي متعدد يج زخي وكراس ميتال مي آي یں جن سے آگڑی والت تشویشدا کسید بعن کی عظمی کشویس اور بعنی کا برائد بعنی کا بڑیاں اس مدی طرح مشویس کہ و زعل مركبلي إلى موسك بي السيمال مستعلم في الماكم عن مرتس میں کے اس بھیمال میں مرف بچل کاعلاج کیاجا آ ے۔ اللم حصد کاعدادد تار کے مطابق ۸۱۹۱ء مے مطابق اتفانستان ش بجل کی شمرح اموات زیادہ تھی اور لیک تمال سے باقىدوسرےمفحدپر

واشتن - ۱۸ رفودی (کونا) امریک بی کومت کے سفیر تھ ر بامرانعباح نے جعد کے روز پیٹی کوئی کی کر شرق وسطی کے ص عمل مرکی السیول ک ست عمد کل بھی تدلی بھی کے سا الدس العلى ادرانس في كماكداس كالدى الله تحسات ين تعريك السيول ين حق تدلي ب في مور زودنان دى كى كريرب مِلك قراع كردي بي كروان ين كى تكومت امرائل كوماكي الى محافر لى قرار كرد خاند في المرافد را

يل اين ماته ني تجاويزالا يابول موديت د جمار دن معر ايران اور عراق مي جائي م وستل- ١٨ قروري (وائم) موعت يذير طرحه الميدة | والسطين حيل حليم كرف اور متيرة مطاقة جوزت يرججوره شير د تفسف الحق المواد ال الله المحت مثل والله على عمر مري اخار الوره كاكناب كر سويت مام و الله المورد كاكناب كر سويت مام و الله كرامي و منطول كالمواد كالموا وير مح ثام كودير فارج قارون الشرع سعيات ييدك اور آج

شيوسينا كر بنماكو كولي اردى كئ وبشت بيندول كمايك كرود كاصفا ياكر ديا كيا

محدیاتی گار ڈول کو پھائی ہونے کے بعد انتقای طور پر جلائی جاری ب- كوا تنايته ل كرون في المدين كرونك كو كمبد ليك برار عودى كويانى براهاش كمد بولس فيايا كرينب كدوم بين شرواندم كترب إلى مالة تعدد من الك محدد بشت كرد كردي محدداك وكيل وليم كا اطلاع كم مواتق جعرات كردة محد وبشت إستعدل كم ليد كرود كوكر فقركر لياكياجن كيتسب بعادى مقدارى الواور

امرترب ۱۸مر فروری (دائش) سکو انتمایشط سے گزشتہ چیس معنول کودوان بناسی میں بدہ افراد کرال کر دیاہ جن عن واكر باد كي لك بعد عظم كاماي ر بنمائي شال يد بيلس في الماكرين بال ويداء كر بعد التاليد عظم شيعاني بنبابدائ کمرداد قال بعرات کاش کو تکاور تراس و ت ا الله مكو التاليمة زياده بعدوى كواتقاى كاردوانى كافتلت بدات على الدوانى كافتلت بدات على المدارية المائدة على المدارية ال

رّین وقت ب کان شام کے مدیر حافظ الامد سے ذاکر اس کے شاق اخدات الى موقد يرواق كياب كرمد الدائد التاسعة التي مدد ورافيم فام عام والرائد كريدا له تقد التي يمل كافران عا فالمدمى التي يمل كافران عا فالمدمى والتي يمل كافران عا فالمدمى تخت موقف پر مینت علیت کے طلب کار ہول گے۔ شوارد ندست ، وجو کودور بر تمام میچست کمام ک ائے ماتھ کی امن تولیزاے میں اہم انسول اس کی کول تعسیل بیان میں کا۔ و مثر و سی کے دی روزہ دون میں اردن ممر عراق اور اران بمي جائي كحد سوء يتن ك كالزش منعقدتين بوسكن وب تك الرائل كارويه تديل في ك قيام من ماك واحد قرق امرائل ب كيول كدامن كافراس چین تبت کے متقبل پر جنیوایس

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كالعوم والدد إكيافاجس كر توث يحل ميت فسطيغ شي

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نراكرات كے لئے تیار ہو گیا وحرسالد. ۱۸مر فردى (اب) جلاد فق تى دينما ولائى لامد سفاميد طايرى ب كرتبت كم منظل كم منظر وي ويقاد ع منباش لكدود كاعدذ الرات حواص الحلك فيد شده بال شروا في المدن كماك الرواكرات ش يش وفت بوني اگر والل المد تبت كى آزادى كامطاليد ترك كر وعد وتبت مستقل كمبار عن فأكرات ويحقين والأبالد ف ويحكش تمل كرت موت كماهاكم تبت كوجسوري فيادير وافلي خود عندى كا ایس والیا خات است است می مناز می مناز است در اگر است در ای می است در این می این در این است در این است در این ا می شود می این این کرد بری می می است که کار اگر اگر است می این این این این می و کرد و اگر در ایک این می در این می د فاعتراف كياكمه والحافات كالمتقطب المتعارتم كالوزيدات

كدعن بنياش واكرات كمسلتمتاري فلیائن میںامر کمی اڈول کے حق میں مظل شیا - ۱۸ فردی (کب) تقریباً دو بزار افرد فیسی قیادت افریس کردی تھی آج ملیات مراس کی فری افاع کادک کمیم مظاہرہ کیا اس کا مطالبہ قبالہ اس کی افران کی مدت میں وسط ک ملاغ نبيان جلاوطن أبر انبول كوعام

معافی دینے کی تجویز معلی وسید فی مورد کوبیا- ۱۸ فردی (رائع) موسایوان بالیمان که باد د طراب این بشخص کوعام معاقی دین کی تجریع فرد کر دی ب بدت ایران کی سرکاری خرد مالی ایم کارناف فرد و اظلم بر حمین موسی کے والے سیتانی ایرانی دور اظلم فینا یک مام معاقی کاید معمود حتی ویش کے ایران الله می کے پاس بھی دیا گیا ب بادر یہ کیت الله فیلی کے بادو باشی ایستا الله محمولی کے کرشند بینی کمت کا تحد و بلاد ملی بشخص و ملی دائیں کے قوابال

اعل هنوت ايركن ورب أيونوك كافرلس عافقاتي فطاب كردين

# امریکہ نے سلامتی کونسل میں اسرائیل پر نکتہ چینی کی قرار دا دویٹو کر دی

والسن كيدروش مير ووار فان فقرار واوكي عمايت كي اجن يمل فراس أوريه خامير فلي شرق أن

اقیام تھے۔ مار فودی (دائش) امریک نے ملاحق ا ہو۔ امریک علی الاقاد سے قیام کے اور من مرف ایک می اداوا علی محتضر دونا لیک قواد واد کو دین کر دیاجس علی محتوف اس کے معرف کلایس امریک کے وقت مال فرددی علی می منوف مفرلي كارساد فوائي على امرائل كادروائيل يركت يين كي لَيْكُ عَرَّمُ مُواةً مُحَدِيثًا كُرُ وَيَأْتُلُ كَيْ قُلِدُ وَلَوْعَتُ بَهِوهِ عَنْ مِي المرائل كورجعندالاس علاطئ وام كوال الرائل ك كالماند السيول اوروق مرشدت كما وافوس كالماركيا كيا

ابران مين ٣٠رلا كھا فراد كىنە

سى نشے كے عادى بيں

کیا۔ ۱۸ قدی (اپ) دیاہ توان کی اطلاع کے مطاق عملی مورس شرمندا کے عادی قرید فروز اوارا کر فار کے چاہئے ہیں۔ یہ کر فاریل گزشتہ ۲۲ گھٹوں شریا ہے

موں میں عمل میں آئی ہیں۔ رفیع نے ایک ان عمل سے بھی افراد کو صافی اموں پر دستوا کر ان کے جور ماکر ویا کیا ہے۔

ا کثیرت کو صوب فوستان ا جوان ' ندندان ' لورستان اور

بأقىدوسرے صفحه پر

ونسل على كوش رود ليك قراد واد كودة كر دياجس عي حيد الما عالي المعلق والله المرافي مي الما الم المالية ود قاد كوك كي ايد فاجي الداع الرئ شركت دك

مودان میں داکٹروں نے ہرال کر دی فرخی - ۸ار فیدی (کنا) مطال کے ٹاکٹیل کے ہتے ار مسلط برال كروى ب كرات بينانون الياس الماس مطالبات كالمراجع مطالبات كالمراجع المراجع معالبات المراجع الم طالت کار جزیائے کامطالہ کردے ہیں۔ بڑال پائے ان کافیدا۔ بھوئی ٹی کیا کی الم ایسب بڑی او عرب کے درمیان ڈاکر ات اكم مو يحصف واكتول كرون كي سكروي واكترب وعلى الد الما المراحة على المراحة على المراحة دومري مول منول في مرال كادم كل دسيد كي ب

# سري الزكاملي الإر

وزيراعظم كالقررشين كياكيا مدرية تن الم مطحاية ياس ركي 

ية وي مااستى كى كودارت متم كردى بادريار أي ورائع كالمناب

دیکھیے مفاد اسائے آئے اکیس ادکان رحمتی کائینہ کا الان کر دیکھی آئی در راحم کی تقری سانے میں آئی۔ مفاد اساک قر والدائع في اكروا في عمران حمد وي بادل كاداكين إنصاب عدودول كيديد دول كاعدودم اعتمام أرس محد بدو محروز محام الخلبات س مخب بوت متحد قِيْ يَدَقّ في عدد اعداء من يرمواندار كل عاليد التعليات على پر کیفٹ کی ۲۲۵ میں سے ۲۵ افشتیں حاصل کی ہیں۔ صدر برعا امات آج اکس وزراء سے مقد لیا اہم انسول نے تین کلیدی من وقاع السي معمد منكاد أيك كودارت وبده ازم ك معلوقر فی مراح و مری گارے اسے باس کی ہے۔ سری انگا کی مطالبی اندی یہ مشمل کیادی کے سرفیدد وک بدید مسلک کے ب المسترية المسترية المستروع بين المستروع بين المستروع المسترية المستروع ا

لتدن - ١٨ و قروري (الكِنسيز) بحارتي تراوير طانوي تاول فكر سلمان دشدی سائی شیطانی تعقیف سے وریعے دنیا بحر کے مسلمان کا دنی کا مرکب مدے رسانی تک فی سائ الكتف كذرية وارى كعمان والمان مسلمان وعرى كلب كدانس اسلام كسبع ثيراتيل محبنيات جمده كرن بدوردر مادا جادره ال معلى كرفرات ملى ري الماء ايران كي مركدي خررمال ايني اداف سلان دشدى ك احتراف كنادي تبمره كرت بوك كماب كدر طانوي اول تكرف ا بين اعتراف على أشب بوف ما كلب والبي في كاكوا وكر عمل كما بك عمد الفاظ استعمال كرت بوث صافى اللي يد وعرشوطان كايلت ك معظف في محال الفاظ عن ترتيب ديد كالحاج عيان م كماب كدوديد تسليم كرت بي كدان كي تعنيف وزا بحرص المانون مح بذيات محروح كرف كايجاميب في بياورانس اس



واولينق كاكميك مجدس سلمان وشدى كم ظاف احتجا كالمجاث سلك مقرو فطاب كروباب الششيطاني راراني ربنما كاردعمل

# نےایئے شغیر کی شران واپسی عار مغی طور پر معطل کر دی۔

-زخى موسفوالالك اور قلطينى على بساعواور معرني كمنار عد كم كيميول عن كرفيو

القدى- ١٨٨ فودى (ايخين) القدى كريان شرك / يال شرك بالدرستون كاكستن كردى ادرشي

فرانسیں دزیرِ خادجہ استخدہ مِفتے ہور کی اور ی کے درائے خارجہ سے صلاح متورہ کریں گے 

سلمان رشدی مسلس رویوش ہے ' بوی نے امریکہ کادورہ منسوخ کر دیا لندن- ۱۸ زودی (ایجنسیز) ایرانی علاء کی طرف مسعواجه القتل قرار وسي جلف كرادس اب مك شيطاني آيات ك معتقبهمان وشدي مسلسل دويوش بين جبكه ايراني سفار تكاديفاس

وين اور \_ كما ب كرير طالوى اول تكار سلمان مظاف امرال رجما أبت الدمن كرات عاملاي

امركي المن شمير بملاواقد بالتاب كدلل جواب كاخرورت عالى دومل - مار فودی (ایج بیز) ار افی رہنا است اللہ جمنی کی اس فرد شد روک دی گئی ہے۔ امریکہ کے مب سے بیاے کتب نبد طاق علی قال سلمان رشری کو دایت النصل قرار افراق ادارے والان یکس کے بعد قالن نے بھی اپنی از صافی بڑاد

کی مسم کھالی ہے 'ریڈروشران المار فهدي (واحر) يوب شراد يرقطيم مسلم طلب ف در الما الما كالم كرون م كما ب- المام كالمشاف يان ويقل مل مل عدال فرات من كا كياب- ميدي

قتل کے احکامات مصیرونی و نیامی اسلام کانفور پری طرح مجروح ہواہے منجیب محقوظ تاہیں۔ ۸ار فردس (ب) معرکے فیل افعام یافتد ادیب است قلد انسیں نے کماکر کل کے امکالت سے بیونی دیاش محلوظ نجیب نے امرین کے دومائی رہنما آجت اللہ تھی پر دیشت کردی کی بوادیے کا افزام مالد کرتے ہوئے کہ انسی کل کا روشن کردی کے ذیل میں آبا ہے اور صورت وزیل میں ا فري رے ك بات شيطال آيات كا معلى وائل عواب وا





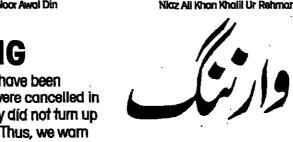
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کے اقامے منسوخ کئے گئے ہیں۔ یہ افراد نہ تو ملک مجبور سنے کے لئے اور نہ ہی اپنی الازمت کے لئے ہم سے رجوع ہوئے ہیں المذاہم انہیں پناہ اور الازمتیں دینے والوں کو متنبہ کرتے ہیں ۔ ان افزاد کے باسے میں واقفیت رکھنے والوں سے ون تنبر 2402653/4 يا تري إليس الميشن سے رابطه كى درخواست



ان افراد کی خدمات معطل اور ملک جیوائے کے کئے ان

# Quezon overcome **Baguio**

QUEZON CITY scored a 2.5-1.5 victory over Baguio City, a strong contender for the title, in the second PBAK Filipino Nonpro Bowling League at the Holiday Inn Hotel on Friday.

The top scorers for Quezon were Pongsak 551, Surajit 524, Anukul 503, Edna Abenoja 416, Tino Ocampo 337 and George Abenoja 157.

In the other matches, Caloocan City thrashed Zam-boanga City 4-0, San Juan over-came Las Pinas 3-1, Manila beat Makati 3-1, Valenzuela crushed Paranaque 4-0 and Cavite City routed Mandaluyong 4-0.

Eva Sabay was in top form and finished as the best scorer for Caloocan with 566 while Willy Sabay got 366, Nonoy Maramba 309, Wally Flores 312, Ramzi Jabsheh 293, Carl Baginda 170, Roger Sabado 170 and Flor Ton-gson 143.

Meet

San Juan's Amado Garcia was also on target this week. He scored a total of 514 pinfalls. Tony Lopez was not far behind with 512 while Oying de Roxas got 309, Bong Pagutayao 297, Bert Papas 142, Bevelyn Pen-alosa 186, Vicky Mendonza 159, Arce 144 and Mandy Salvo 141. On Friday, Mandaluyong meet Quezon City and San Juan face Makati at 8.30 am while

Cavite City take on Paranaque and Zamboanga battle Baguio City at 11.30 am. In the afternoon, at 2.30 pm, Manila meet Caloocan City.

Cavite City are at the top of the table with an average of 833.03 while Caloocan are second. Third place is occupied by Valenzuela with Manila fourth, San Juan fifth and Baguio City sixth.

### Controversial **Davis Cup** court banned

LONDON, Feb. 18, (Reuter): Vienna's controversial Davis Cup tennis court has been banned following Austria's 5-0 rout of former champions Australia in the first round of the competition this month.

The International Tennis Federation (ITF) decided yesterday that experimental surfaces, like the clay-over-matting indoor court which the Australians hated in Vienna, would be prohibited for Davis Cup mat-

Anstria, newcomers to the planned to use the same indoor surface for their second round tie against Sweden in April.

Australian Davis Cup captain Neale Fraser voiced complaints about the surface during the world group tie at Vienna's Dusika stadium two weeks ago, saying it was unpredictable.

His players, led by former Wimbledon champion Pat Cash, who lost both his singles matches and suffered a doubles defeat with John Fitzgerald, were also unhappy with the freshly-laid court which had a one-cm layer of clay over coconut matting.

The Italian referee in charge of the tie, Luigi Brambilla, and ITF observer Christopher Stokes both submitted reports to the federation's Davis Cup committee saving the surface was not suitable for top-level play.

# NBA games

Hornets

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Tanker Co. bez

TANKER CO. produced a Beans v Bulls Hitters match. The splendid performance in this home team put on an excellent week's round of the Kuwait Britshow to beat a faltering Hitters Readymix Concrete side by 5-1. 16 high scores were shared evenly by all the players, but John Watson outscored (K.B.R.C.) Kuwait Monday Darts League, by inflicting a second successive defeat on title them all with the Third Wednescontenders Cottar Hoose, by 5-1. day 180 of the year. Even so, he With all Tanker Co. players on fell victim to Has Beans skipper, Nobby Burton, 2-1.

seasons ago.

to score 376.

with Craig Iken getting 140.

Chuckers had similar success,

seeing off Menage A Trois 4-2

and 2-0, which gave Chucklers

only their second win of the

season, whilst Entente Geordiale produced an identical scoreline

to defeat bottom team Fintas Flyers, the eleventh time this

season the Flyers have lost by 4-

form, Martyn Rix had the only win for the visitors, although Peter Granowski had the con-Hitters ladies, however, mainsolation of recording the league's tained their challenge with a 2-1 highest finish to date of 107. C.H. win. H20 stayed clear thanks to 5-1 and 2-0 victories over Ship-Ladies continued to improve wrecks, despite 140's for Wayne thanks to their 2-0 win. Baggs Mocko and Geoff Green. were inactive, giving Straight As Soweto Slingers and Shower of A Dai the chance to improve their lead with a comfortable 5-1 Tossers shared 18 high scores, as Slingers won 4-2, with 140's for defeat of Mishraf. George Smith Richard Ellis, Ian Thomas and took full advantage of playing on Geoff Clark (2), as Tossers lost his own board, to hit the season's for the first time in 11 games. fifth Monday 180 score. Dai-A-Avengers faltered though, Straights also won, 2-1, to join narrowly losing to Lady Tossers. Bandits as ladies leaders, with

# Faitering

Deutch scoring 100's.

both Avril Smith and Kai

Queens went third, thanks to a Maureen Simms 105 and 2 scoring Mickey Mouse trebles from Leila Skelhorn, as they dented Pacifists Ladies hopes 2-1: Wallbangers also won, 4-2, as Brian Pon bagged another 140. Ragamuffins won their first game in 9 outings, taking Mcmbers by 5-1.

In the K.B.R.C. Wednesday League, the day's outstanding GILBERT TAKES ARIAS TO TASK

# **Curren thrashes Connors**

(AP): Kevin Curren used an overpowering serve and strong groundstrokes last night to beat Jimmy Connors 6-2, 6-2 in the \$415,000 Volvo Indoor Tennis Championship.

Curren, ranked 22nd in the world, served seven aces and had very little trouble matching Connors' groundstrokes. Curren advances to this evening's semifinals to meet No. 6 Brad Gilbert, who beat unseeded Jimmy Arias, 6-4, 1-6, 6-2. Posting

Johan Kriek, the 16th seed, and No. 11 Michael Chang wasted little time in their quarterfinal matches with both posting

straight-set victories.

Kriek easily dispatched unseeded Richey Reneberg 6-3, 6-3 to set up a semifinal against Chang, who eliminated unseeded Australian Broderick Dyke, 6-3, 6-2.

Curren broke Connors with a crosscourt, forehand winner in the fourth game of the first set after Connors had saved three break points earlier in the game. Curren broke through again in the eighth game, taking the set when Connors, ranked seventh

in the world, double faulted.

The second set was more of the

FAIRFAX, Va., Feb 18, (Reuter): Fifteen-year-old Mon-

ica Seles of Yugoslavia overcame

a twisted ankle to upset third seed

Manuela Maleeva of Bulgaria

6-26-4 in the quarterfinals of the

Washington Women's Tennis Championship yesterday. Joining Seles into the semifin-

als was top-seeded Steffi Graf of

West Germany who coasted

through against eighth-seeded Canadian Helen Kelesi 6-0 6-1 in

Overpowered

games in three matches this

week, overpowered the 19th-ran-

ked Kelesi with groundstrokes and allowed the Canadian only

Fifth-seeded Zina Garrison of

the US nearly matched Graf's efficiency by taking just 50 min-

(Reuter): Auckland shot out

Otago for a mere 50 runs in their

second innings to set up a victory

which made them New Zealand's

Shell Trophy cricket champions

16 runs as Otago collapsed, leav-

ing Auckland requiring only 47

to win which they achieved with-

Morrison took five wickets for

nine points in the first set.

**Auckland rout** 

Shell Trophy

ELLINGTON,

out losing a wicket.

Otago for

Graf, who has lost just three



Curren: to meet Gilbert in semifinal same with Curren going up 2-0 when Connors lost serve by hit-

Seles surprises Maleeva

utes to eliminate serve-and-

volleyer Gigi Fernandes of

Seles, who plays Garrison in the semifinals, twisted her ankle

in the fifth game of her opening

set when she was trying to change

The Yugoslav took an injury time-out on the changeover, and continued to limp throughout

the match. But it did not affect

her powerful two-handed groun-

dstrokes, which prevented Maleeva from establishing her

Maleeva, who at seventh in the

world ranks 78 places higher than Seles, fell behind 0-3 in the

second set but rallied to 3-4

before Seles held on to close out

Seles, in reaching her second

British boxer Lloyd Honeyghan

flunked his dope test after losing

his World Boxing Council

(WBC) welterweight title two

weeks ago and faces a possible

fine or suspension by the Nevada

Honeyghan, who lost his

crown when he was stopped in

the ninth round by American

Marion Starling, gave a urine sample after the bout that was

found to contain the banned

painkiller lidocaine, the Nevada

State Athletic Commission.

rhythm from the baseline.

Puerto Rico 6-4 6-0.

and the match when Connors ting a backhand wide from the baseline. baseline. He won the eighth game

semifinal in four professional

tournaments, said she wouldn't

play in this evening's semifinal

match if her ankle continued to

not important enough to play if

my ankle is bad. Now, it's not so bad," Seles said. "I didn't have

any problems besides that, but I

don't think she played as well as a

Unseeded

Fourth-seeded Natalia Zver-

eva of the Soviet Union took the

last semifinal berth when she

beat unseeded compatriot Leila

The victory gave Zvereva a re-match against Graf. The only

other time the two played, the

West German administered a 6-0

6-0 drubbing in the final of last

The Nevada commission said

their next monthly meeting in

The 28-year-old Londoner

was not expected to face stiff

punishment, however. The

Nevada commission recently

fined American Robert Hines

just \$750 in a similar case after he

had lost his International Boxing

Federation (IBF) world light-

middleweight crown.

top 10 player can.

Meskhi 6-2 6-0.

year's French Open.

Honeyghan fails dope test

LASVEGAS: Feb 18; (Remer): ... commission said. ... ...

March.

The match is important but

netted an easy forehand from the Connors, playing in his first

### Zoehrer's 163 fails to save W. Australia

tournament since undergoing foot surgery, said he was pleased with his week's work.

After splitting the first two

With Gilbert leading 40-15 in

the seventh game of the third set.

Arias, who had been warned earlier by the umpire, crossed into Gilbert's court to question a

Arias was assessed a penalty point which gave Gilbert the game and a 5-2 lead in the set.

Gilbert closed out the set in the

next game when Arias hit a back-

Kriek got off quickly in his match, breaking Reneberg in the first game of the first set. The

South Africa native claimed the opening set when Reneberg hit a

backhand wide in the ninth

Netted

two of the second set and then proceeded to hold serve, winning

the set with a service winner as

Reneberg netted a weak fore-

against Dyke, losing his serve in

the first game of the opening set,

but gradually gained control of

Chang got off to a shaky start

hand return.

Kriek broke through in game

hand long from the baseline.

line call.

sets, Gilbert got some help from Arias late in the third set.

SYDNEY, Feb 18, (Reuter): A dazzling innings of 163 by Western Australian wicketkeeper Tim Zoehrer failed to prevent New South Wales from winning their Sheffield Shield cricket match in Perth today.

Zoehrer was the ninth man out with the total on 327 but the match was all over one ball later when Geoff Lawson bowled Ken Lilly for nought. That gave New South Wales victory by 67 runs and kept alive their slender hopes of qualifying for the Shield final. Lawson bowled superbly to finish with five for 51 off 24.5 overs.

### Spare

In Launceston, Tasmania pulled off their first victory of the season, beating Victoria by six wickets.

Set 262 to win in 61 overs, Tasmania made 265 for four with 2.5 overs to spare. David Boon, Glenn Hughes

and Rod Tucker all hit half centuries to set up the victory which moved Tasmania up past Victoria into fifth place in the shield In Adelaide, Queensland, set a

massive 437 to win, held out for a draw against South Australia and at the close were 330 for eight. Tailenders Trevor Hohns with

23 not out and John Maguire, unbeaten with seven, survived 18.3 overs until the close to deny South Australia victory.

Becker: had an easy game

# **Becker routs McEnroe** to reach Milan final

MILAN, Italy, Feb 18, (Reuter): Boris Becker, backed by his booming serve. overpowered John McEnroe 6-26-3 today to reach the final of the Italian indoor tennis

championship.

The West German, who won here in 1987, will tomorrow play the winner of this evening's second semifinal between Soviet player Alexander Volkov and West German Eric Jelen.

Becker's cannon serve on the artificial surface proved too much for McEnroe, who was seeking his fifth title in Milan.

#### Attack

Showing no signs of earlier arm injury. Becker served 10 aces and seized the first set in only 39 minutes. But McEnroe, backed by a

boisterous crowd hoping for a comeback, stormed back for a 3-1 lead in the second set as his serve-and-volley attack came

But suddenly his ground game deserted him and the burly West German reeled off five straight games as McEnroe consistently failed to come up with the passing shots he needed to stem Beck er's offensive onslaught.

Becker has now won four out of the five clashes between the two former Wimbledon champions. The last time McEnroe beat Becker was

here in 1985. The American, who said he had been playing some of his best tennis, had never lost a match in the Milan tour-

nament Being the man he is, it's always special to beat him. My serve kept me going on important points. The first set I played just perfect," Becker

"This gives me a big boost by beating him."

Becker said his previous injury gave him no problems.

# Johnson's physician denies doping story

TORONTO, Feb 18, (Reuter): Ben Johnson's personal physician denied yesterday that he said the sprinter had taken steroids four months before the Seoul Olympics where he was stripped of the 100-metres gold medal after a positive dope test.

Dr Jamie Astaphan was quoted by the Toronto Star newspaper on Thursday as saying Johnson had been depressed and took the banned steroid stanozolol but it caused violent mus-

Traces

"Johnson was stripped of his gold medal in Seoul after a urine test found traces of stanozolol. A government inquiry, which resumes in Toronto on February 22, has been called to investigate drug use in amateur sport.

Astaphan, Johnson's personal physician since 1986, has been in the Caribbean island of St Kitts since November and did not return telephone calls yesterday. Astaphan's Toronto lawyer, David Sookram, told Reuters:

"Dr Astaphan has asked me to tell you that he did not tell (the reporter) what was reported in the Toronto Star." Sookram also denied the Star

report that Astaphan would not come to Toronto to testify at the inquiry unless certain demands were met by the federal govern-

The Toronto Star said it stood

by its story.
"I can tell you that I have no reason to believe that Dr Astaphan will not give evidence at the inquiry ... subject only to the resolution of certain legal and administration safeguards which I hope can be negotiated," Sookram said.

# Aouita and Joyner-Kersee win easily

INGLEWOOD, California, Feb 18, (UPI): Said Aouita of Morocco won the mile in 3:54.99 and Jackie Joyner-Kersee ran the second-best 60-metre hurdles race in American indoor history last night at the Los Angeles

Times-Eagle Indoor Games, Aouita, the world record holder at three distances, was third after a quarter-mile, but took control just before the three-quarter mark. Frank O'Mara was second in 3:57.97.

Last week at the Mead-owlands Invitational, Aouita passed on the mile and a showdown with Ireland's Marcus O'Sullivan and won the 3,000. O'Sullivan ran the mile in 3:51.66, but set a world indoor record with a 3:35.6 timing in the 1.500 metres.

Joyner-Kersee breezed to her victory in 7.87. The Olympic double gold medallist, who recorded an American record of 7.81 two weeks ago in an event in Fairfax, Va., bad the lead at the first hurdle and had no trouble from there. Donna Walker was second in 8.42.
"I have an injured right quad

(leg musice) and that's why I was hesitant at the start," Joyner-Kersee said. "It really doesn't hurt - it just messes with me mentally. I probably could've gone for an American record otherwise. But 7.87 is a good time on these (hard wooden) boards."

Gwen Torrence, undefeated in 49 consecutive indoor sprints, set an American record of 7.16 in the 60-metre dash, but was beaten when Dawn Sowell of Louisiana state ran the distance for the first time and blazed to a 7.15. Torrence protested loudly for what she considered a dead heat, but officials would not change

"I'd run the 55 metres, but never the 60," Sowell said. "Not bad for a first time, huh?"

Louise Ritter won the high jump in 6 feet, 4 1-4 inches and Mary Decker Slaney pulled out of the 1,000-metres race because of tenderness in her left caif and achilles tendon. Earlier, Tonie Campbell won

the men's 60-metre hurdles in 7.63. Cletus Clark closed a gap over the final two hurdles, but was second at 7.69.

# 1987 Cup yacht

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 18, (AP): The \$3 million 12-metre yacht USA, the St Francis Yacht Club's failed 1987 America's Cup challenger, was auctioned off for debts yesterday for \$50,000 — the minimum bid set in federal court.

The successful, and only, bidder at the US marshal's auction in the San Francisco federal building lobby was auto dealer Bob Cole, main creditor of the Golden Gate challenge syndicate.



Government Warning: Smoking is a major cause of cancer and diseases of the lungs, heart and arteries.

# Liverpool edge past Hull Christie pulls out of European athletics meet

LONDON, Feb 18, (Reuter): Reigning FA Cup champions Wimbledon and beaten finalists Liverpool flirted with fifth round defeat today before turning up the power to snuff out the ambi-

tions of Grimsby and Hull. Half-time inspired visions of glory for the two northeastern clubs with Grimsby, from the lower reaches of the Fourth Division, leading Wimbledon 1-0 and Second Division Hull 2-1 ahead against Liverpool Control

But the dreams lasted little longer than the interval. The two matches had barely restarted before the big-name clubs took control to record wins by 3-1 and 3-2 respectively.

John Aldridge produced a double strike for Liverpool in the space of 60 seconds, equalising with a header from a cross by Peter Beardsley in the 52nd minute and then putting the visitors in front when he converted a header from Steve McMahon for a final score of 3-2.

A defensive blunder by Grimsby let John Fashanu past to equalise in the 57th minute and Terry Phelan dived to head home a cross from Dennis Wise three minutes later. Wise himself made it 3-1 with an injury time goal.

Manchester United were given

Forward power

helps England

DUBLIN, Feb 18, (Reuter):

England's forwards set up a mo-

rale-boosting 16-3 success over Ireland in their Five Nations

Rugby Union clash today. Goalkicker Rob Andrew

marked his 26th birthday by

kicking two penalties and a con-

version, although he missed with

three other attempts in slippery

third victory in a row against

Ireland, dominated the lineouts

and were worthy winners of a

scrappy match played at a fierce

of the 35-3 defeat of the Irish at

Twickenham last year, but it was

satisfaction for England supporters after their disappointing 12-12 draw against Scotland two

Leading 6-0 at halftime thanks

Dewi Morris lunged over for

forward Dean Richards bull-

dozed his way through for the

Michael Kiernan raised his

international points total to 254

with a penalty goal but Ireland,

so impressive against Wales.

never looked like winning despite

the encouragement of 53,000

to two Andrew penalties, the

visitors took complete command

weeks ago.

second.

in the second half.

devoted home fans.

The success lacked the sparkle

England, registering their

and windy conditions.

blast Ireland

Second Division Bournemouth, who knocked them out of the Cup in 1984.

Mark Hughes put United ahead in the 53rd minute with his 15th goal of the season but Trevor Aylott equalised 19 minutes later and the two sides will replay at Old Trafford on Wednesday to decide who goes into next month's quarterfinals.

Hull's home tie at least gave their star striker Keith Edwards, the leading scorer in all competitions among current players, the chance to equal his personal record of scoring in eight succes-

Edwards gave Hull a 2-1 lead one minute before the interval when he seized on a header from Billy Whitehurst, author of the side's first goal in the 34th minute after John Barnes had scored for Liverpool.

Favourites Liverpool, already missing striker Ian Rush because of a knee injury, also lost Scottish international defender Gary Gillespie just 10 minutes into the match when he was hurt in a clash with Andy Payton.

West Ham survived to reach the quarterfinals despite being reduced to 10 men for the whole of the second half at Chariton. Midfielder Mark Ward was elbowing Colin Pates in the face. But 19-year-old Stuart Slater,

who underwent knee surgery only three weeks ago, took advantage of a hesitant Charlton defence to trickle the ball past goalkeeper Bob Bolder in the 53rd minute and maintain West Ham's record of eight wins in eight in eight FA Cup meetings with their fellow-Londoners.

Sheffield United were left cursing an own goal by Steve Thom-pson after Norwich beat them 3-2 to reach the quarterfinals for the first time in six years.

Thompson's error gave Nor-wich an early lead and though Brian Deane equalised, Malcolm Allen slotted home a second-half penalty to put the home side abead again. Tony Agana made it 2-2 one minute later but Dale Gordon scored a close-range winner for Norwich nine minutes before the final whistle.

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TAIF, Saudi Arabia, Feb 18, (AP): Spain yesterday weathered a furious rally by Argentina, recording an upset in Group D of the World Youth Soccer Cup championships.

Ironically, it was a penalty which decided the issue 2-I in Spain's favour as the teams battled for the full 90 minutes at a fast tempo. The teams were level 1-1 at

half-time. The victory may assure Spain's successful move into the quarterfinals following their victory over the most-accomplished

team in the group which also includes Norway and Iraq. Iraq beat Norway 1-0 in the other match played in this mountainous resort city of Saudi

Arabia's western province. Argentina began well and there was a 12th minute goal from skipper Diego Pablo Simeone, but two defensive lapses cost the Argentines.

In the earlier Group D match, Iraq too gained full points from their match against Norway when they won 1-0. But they had missed an early first-half penalty. The goal was scored by Saddam Menshed Naiem.

In Jeddah, Brazil gave a classical display in the youth welfare stadium to confirm its favourite status by defeating East Ger-many 2-0 in a Group C match of the championship. Twice champions Brazil vir-

tually ran rings around the East Germans, whose attempt at man-to-man marking proved ineffective against accurate pass-The goals came in both halves.

Marcelo Henrique Dos Santos headed in the first in the 36th minute, and Ricardo Franca scored the second in the 65th minute to give Brazil maximum points from its first outing in the

The East Germans failed to make an impression, after a brief superiority during the first 15

The Brazilians virtually camped in the East German territory for most of the match. The occasional East German attacks rarely had any impact.

But when the Brazilians advanced with their smoothflowing moves, and flashes of individual brilliance, there was a hush of anticipation from the

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# **French outclass Wales** PARIS, Feb 18, (Reuter): Star

fullback Serge Blanco inspired a rampaging French side to a 31-12 victory against Wales today, setting France firmly on course for a fourth consecutive Five Nations Rugby Union title. Expend

Blanco scored two tries and set up a third for captain Pierre Berbizier in a bruising and scrappy encounter in which the French backs launched attack after attack against a plucky but vulnerable Weish defence.

# Fists flew regularly through-

out the match, France's second victory from two games in the 1989 championship.

gamely to the bulldozing French forwards, but appeared to expend all their energy, leaving the French backs time and space to mount their spectacular moves from deep in defence.

All the Weish points came from the boot of captain Paul Thornburn, but Wales rarely ventured into the French lines.

**Bayern draw** 

BONN, Feb 18, (Reuter): Bun-desliga leaders Bayern Munich snatched a late equaliser to escape with a 2-2 draw at Eintracht Frankfurt today as the West German League season resumed after an 11-week winter break.

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Feb 18, (AP): Soviet triple jumper Nikolai Musienko won the first gold medal of the two-day European Indoor Track and Field Championships today, while British sprinter Linford

also find 24 coloured flags of some countries.

squares. Complete the groups and claim the

Paste the flags onto the chart in their respective

withdraw.

Ulf Timmermann of East Germany, one of the only three Olympic champions competing, took the gold in the shot put event with a heave of 21.68

Christie, the 100-metre silver medallist at the 1988 Olympics who holds the European record of 9.97 seconds, injured his left foot in training yesterday and

dropped out shortly before the

The Briton said he strained a metatarsal joint in his left foot. Christic, 28, was going for gold medals in the 200- and 60-metre dashes at the two-day event.



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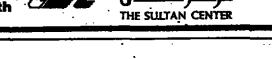
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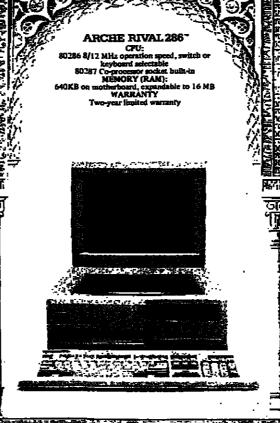
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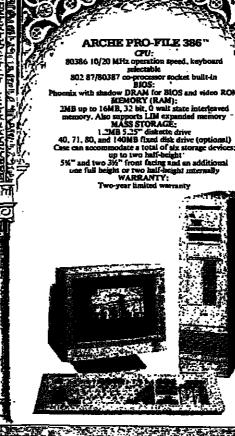


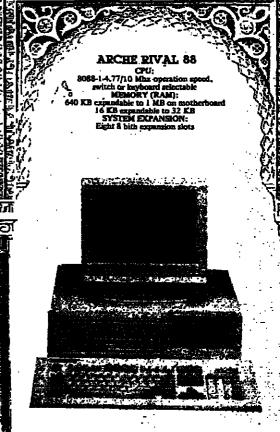
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